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Fall

Fall is the season when people scurry to get in their last picnic before winter. Last-minute trips or vacations are planned before the school term begins. Fall is the colorful season and leaf-raking proves to be a popular pastime.

Each student at Laurel looks forward eagerly to the first day of school. When finally it arrives, a definite change of habits takes place. The alarm now rings at approximately seven o'clock. The young scholars are ready at least ten minutes before the bus comes. At school, sweaters are hung neatly in the lockers, and at three twenty-five books are stacked with special care. Each student tries to get the teachers "on his side" right at the beginning of the school term. Soon the novelty wears off, and the educational grind resumes a normal pattern as we look ahead to the winter, spring, and summer seasons.

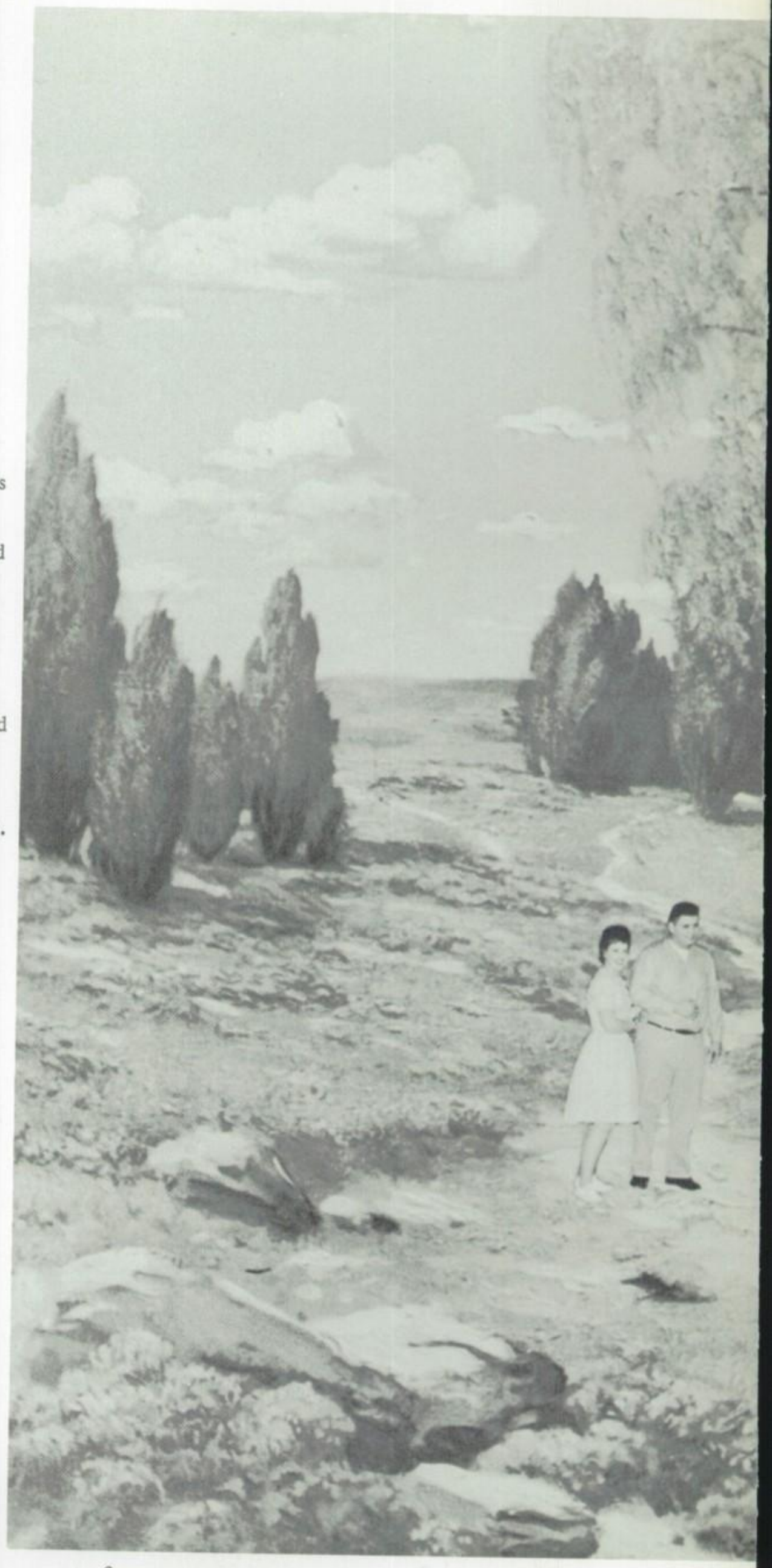
Winter

Winter is the time when school is well under way and everyone is looking forward to the long-awaited Christmas vacation. Soon the first semester will be over and the resolutions are made for the second semester. When it starts, all goes strong for the first week then things go back to normal for the remainder of the year. Many sports are adapted to this season. Ice skating, hockey, and skiing are only a few of the major recreations. Bowling lanes prosper and the hamburger stands enjoy their best season. Students at Laurel attend basketball games (and hope for a better season next year).

This is one of the most beautiful times of the whole year. Glittering ice and gigantic snow flakes have been the cause of late buses. Although we enjoy winter, we always look forward to spring when the world once again awakens and starts anew.

Spring

Spring is the season when man-kind starts anew to face life's challenges. The world arouses after a cold winter and looks forward to a brighter and happier future. Here at Laurel the basketball season has come to a close and already the boys are attending baseball practice. The first semester has ended and we are well on our way to the end of the second half of the school year. As it gets warmer, students become restless and homework is done with less care than before. The outside world becomes more inviting and we are anxious to see the end of everything that is associated with winter--The whole world seems to be growing with new vigor and energy. Seniors are looking forward to graduation with just a little fear of the next spring and what it will hold for them. This spring will be one remembered by these students.



Summer

Summer is sometimes referred to as the "lazy season" but certainly not by students of Laurel. Boating and water skiing are only two sports which take place. Swimming, golfing, horseback riding, and baseball are enjoyed. The main attraction of the summer season is probably the frozen custard stand. Summer is the time when all people want to get away from the dull routine of everyday work. Many vacation is various states and take pleasure in the beautiful scenery which only summer has to offer. Others enjoy their vacations at home. Although summer is one of the most invigorating seasons, much energy is also exerted mowing the lawn in the sweltering sun. About the last week of August, most of us consider our summer over and are looking forward to school for another term. Many seniors look forward to college and for them, this is the summer that counts.

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Academic

Mr. Alfred F. Barnes
Supervising Principal

Mr. Eugene V. Hill
High School Principal

Seated: U. S. Dean, Wendell Dean, and Jesse Hunt. Standing: Russell McClelland, Theodore Jameson, James Glitch, Edgar Shaw, Jr., William McKinley and Walter Pearl.

Mr. Wendell Dean
President

Administration

Our Laurel High School is operated by the Board of Education. This Board is composed of eleven members. On their shoulders lie the responsibilities of providing Laurel students with the maximum opportunities of education and recreation. It is their duty to approve courses of study and to draw up a school calendar many weeks before the school year actually begins. The continual growth and improvement within the school system are foremost in their planning. Everything possible is done for each student's development during his school life. Adequate equipment and textbooks, capable administrators and teachers are provisions made possible by the Laurel Board of Education.

Mrs. Elizabeth McCrumb
Guidance Counselor

Mrs. Frances Burns
Nurse

Mrs. Mary Sankey
Secretary to Mr. Barnes

Mrs. Mary Ellen Park
Guidance Department

Mrs. Lena DeSalvo
General Office

Mrs. Jean McMichael
General Office

Faculty

Mr. William Anderson
Health, Biology

Mr. Byron Bakewell
Industrial Arts

Miss Marjorie Banks
English, Speech

Mr. Howard Fox
Vo. Ag.
Soc. Studies

Faculty

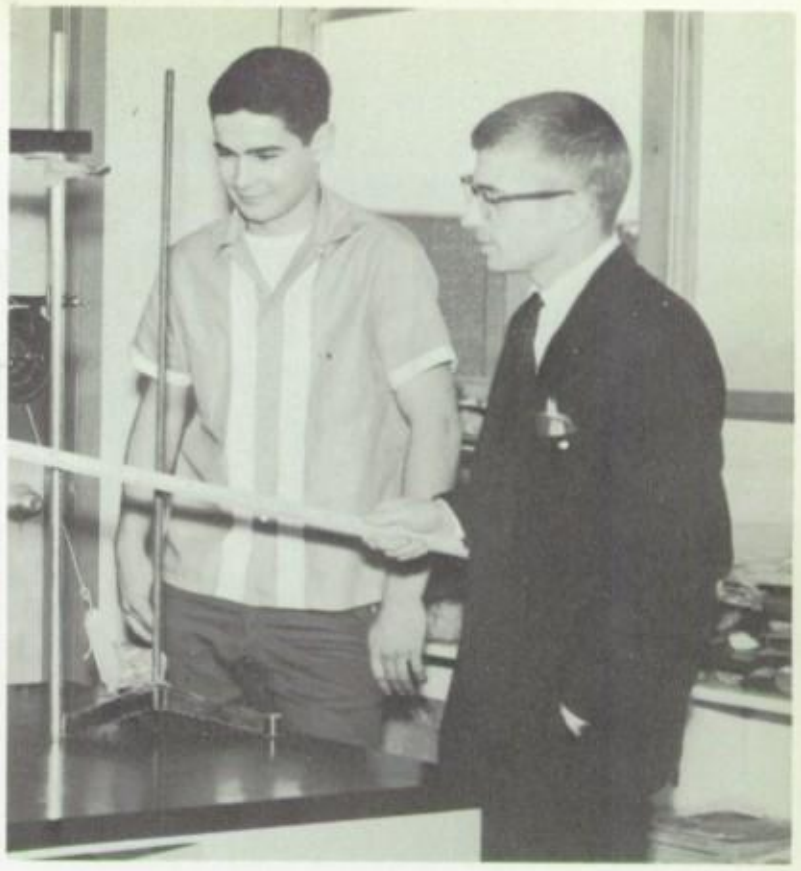
Mr. Louis Gardei
Art

Mr. Merrill Giles
Social Studies

Mrs. Patricia Giles
Phys. Ed., Health

Mr. Eugene Hassan
Social Studies

Mr. Richard Kost
Phys. Ed., Health



Mrs. Leah McConahy
Business Education

Mr. Robert Miller
Science

Mrs. Martha North
History, Latin

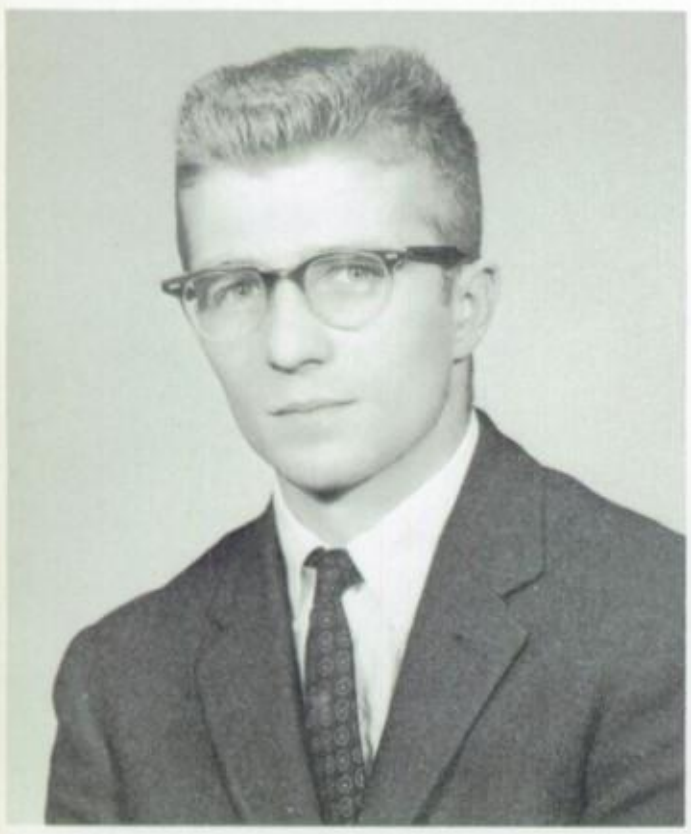
Mr. William Owens
Business Education

Mrs. Lois Platt
Homemaking

Mrs. Eleanor Reynolds
English

Mr. Raymond Schweinberg
Music

Mr. Stanley Shaw
Math



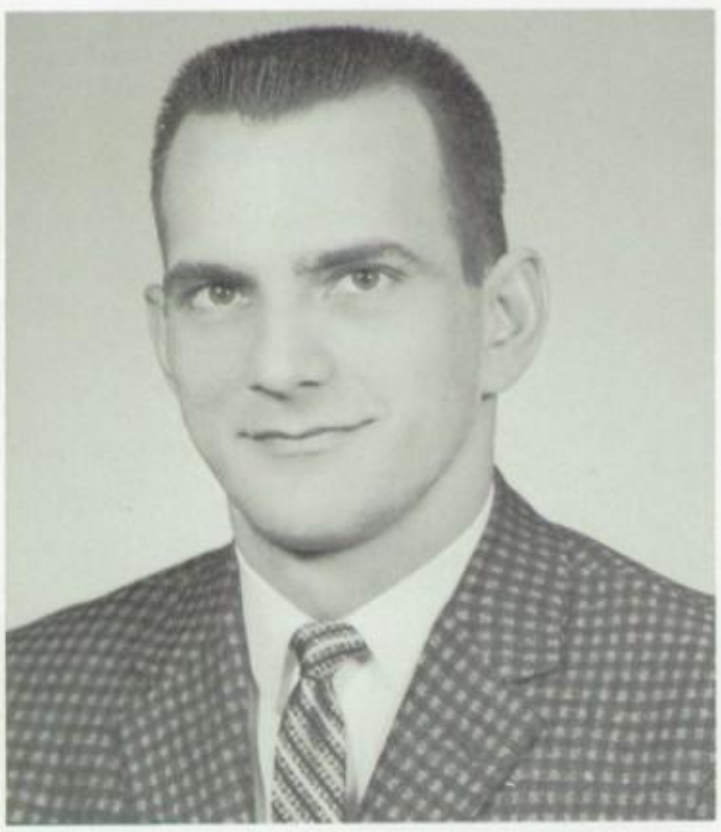
Mr. John Stoerkel
Science

Mr. Glenn Tetemanza
Social Studies, Math

Faculty

Mr. Fred Timm
Social Studies

Mr. Ralph Watson
Math



Mr. Judd Wetzel
Social Studies

Mrs. Mildred Wiley
English

Mr. William Yanek
Library

Mr. William Wilson

Mr. William Loper
Student Teachers

Cafeteria

Left to Right -
Mrs. Betty Polenick, Manager
Mrs. Dorothy Roth
Mrs. Beverly Weidenhof
Mrs. Theresa Stroia
Mrs. Helen Harrison

Custodians

Left to Right -
Mr. Albert Cowan
Mr. James Alford
Mr. Lawrence Majors
Mr. R. Paul Meloy,
Head Custodian

Bus Drivers

Row 1--Mr. Joseph Post
Mr. Lloyd Harlan
Mr. Gabriel Park
Mr. Arthur Hunt
Row 2--Mr. Charles Kuhlber
Mr. Clarence Stoner
Mr. Walter Brooks
Mr. Thomas Brown
Mr. Wendell McKissick
Mr. Edward McKibben
Mr. C. Robert Book,
Maintenance

Class Officers

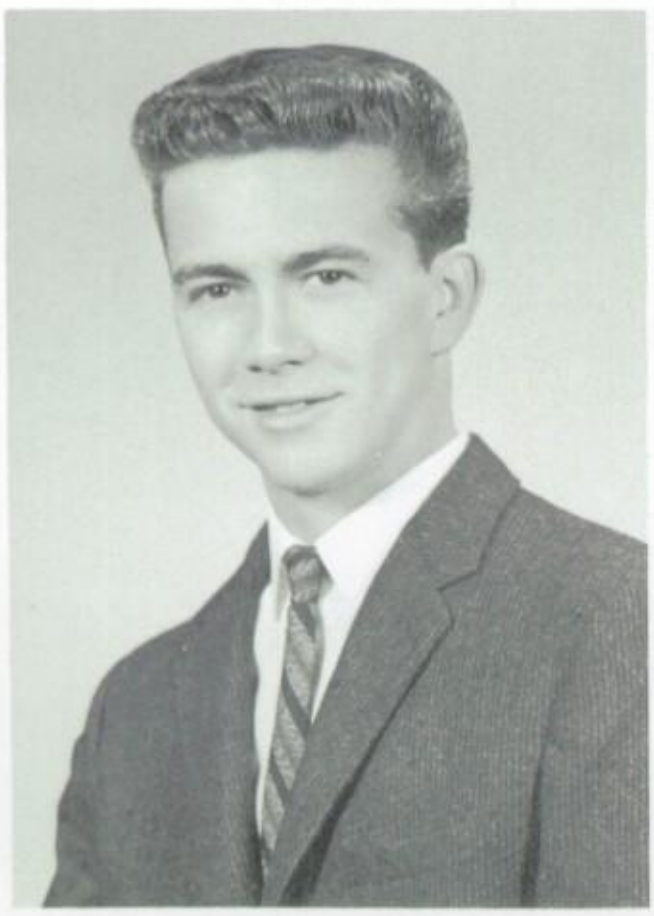
Pete Bluedorn, Pres.
Donna McMichael, V. Pres.
Shirley Edie, Sec'y.
Donna Hogue, Treas.

Seniors

Charles Alborn

Betty Anderson

Elgie Arblaster



Mary Ann Arblaster

Anthony Audia

James Baldwin

Ronald Bluedorn

Kathleen Barker

Class of '62

Dana Bobbert

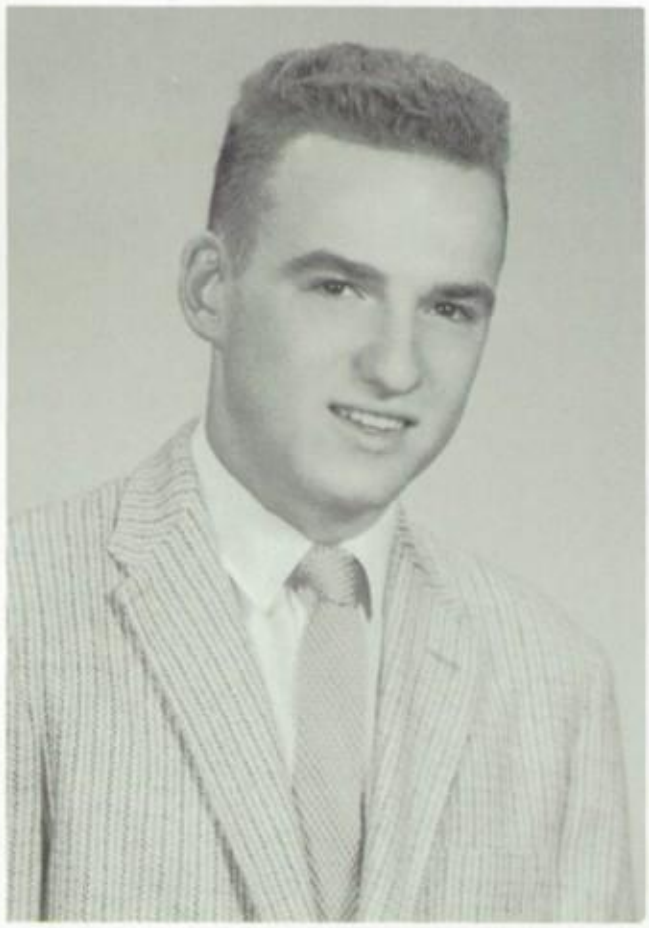
George Brown

Hazel Cameron

Roberta Cameron

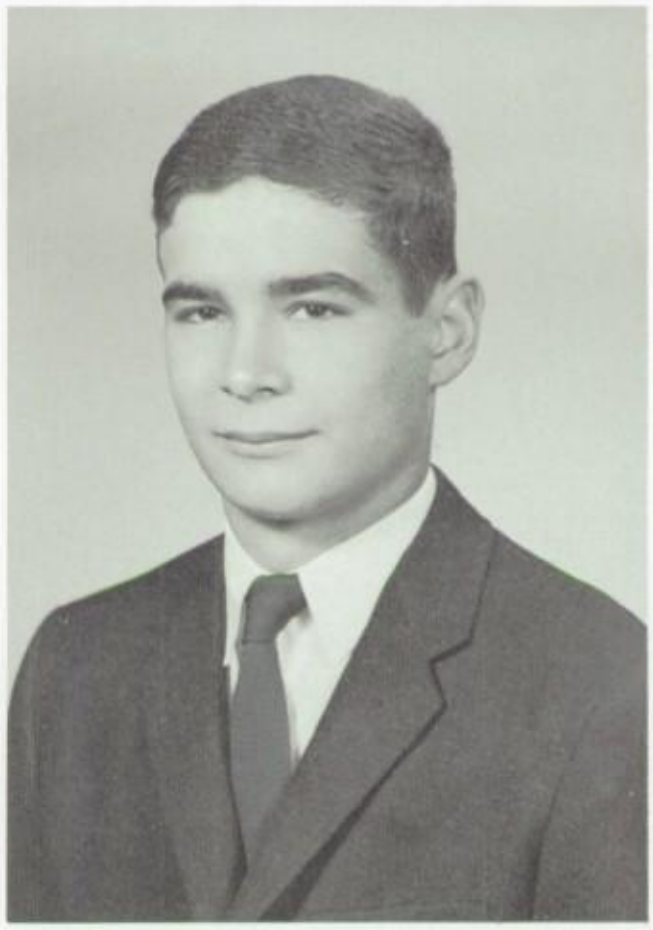
Seniors

Class of '62



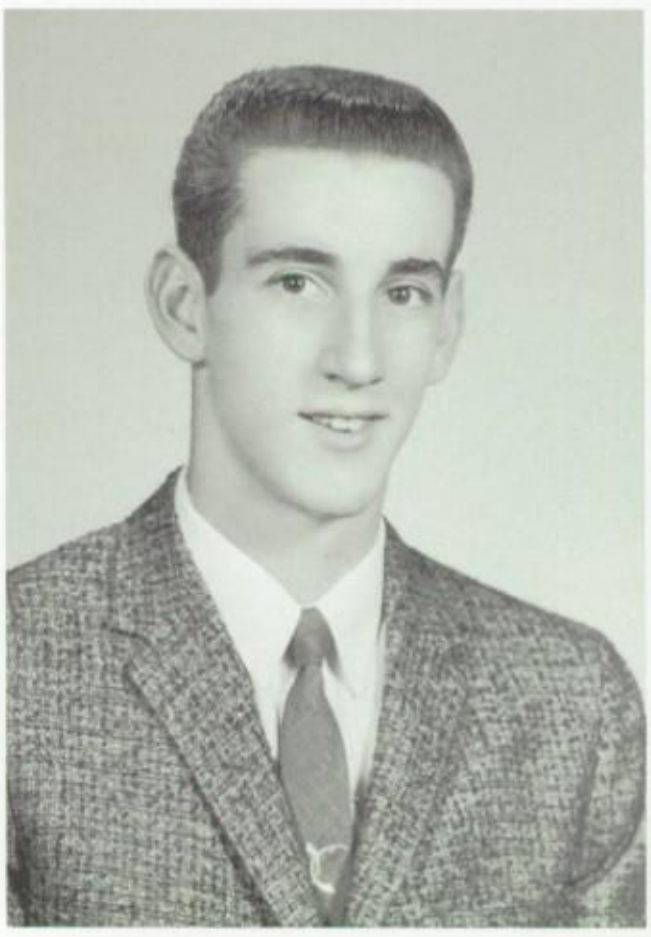
Galen Clapper

George Corner



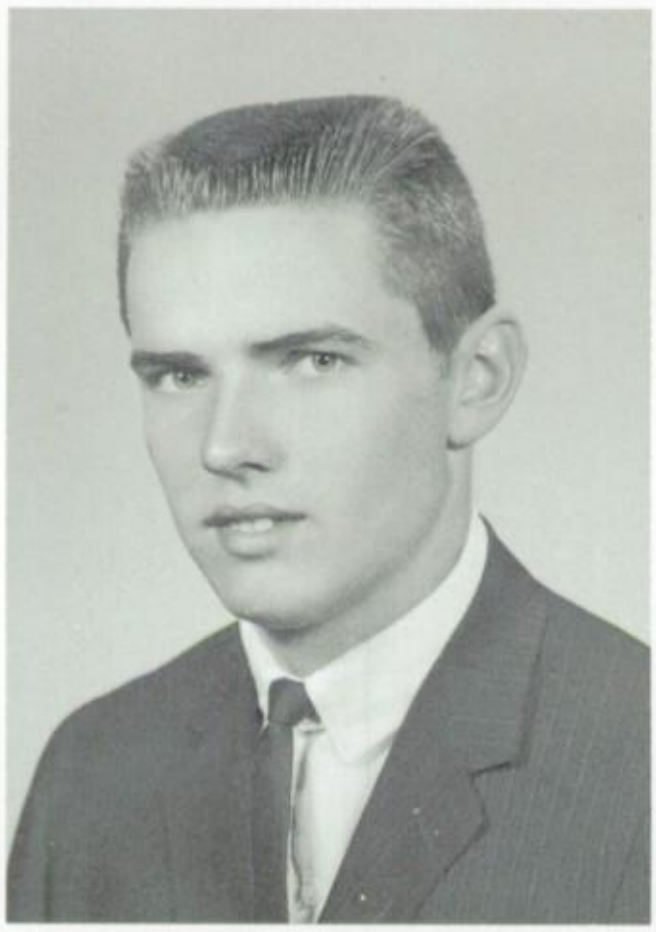
Albert Cowan

Wayne Dean



Constance Duncan

Shirley Edie



James Fennick

Arlene Fisher

Class of '62

Marlene Fisher

Virginia Fisher

David Flack

Seniors

Kathleen Foley

Carol Fowler

Paul Gajda

Scott Gibson

Robert Hammerschmidt

Kathy Harkless

Robert Hill

Donna Hogue

Carole Hunt

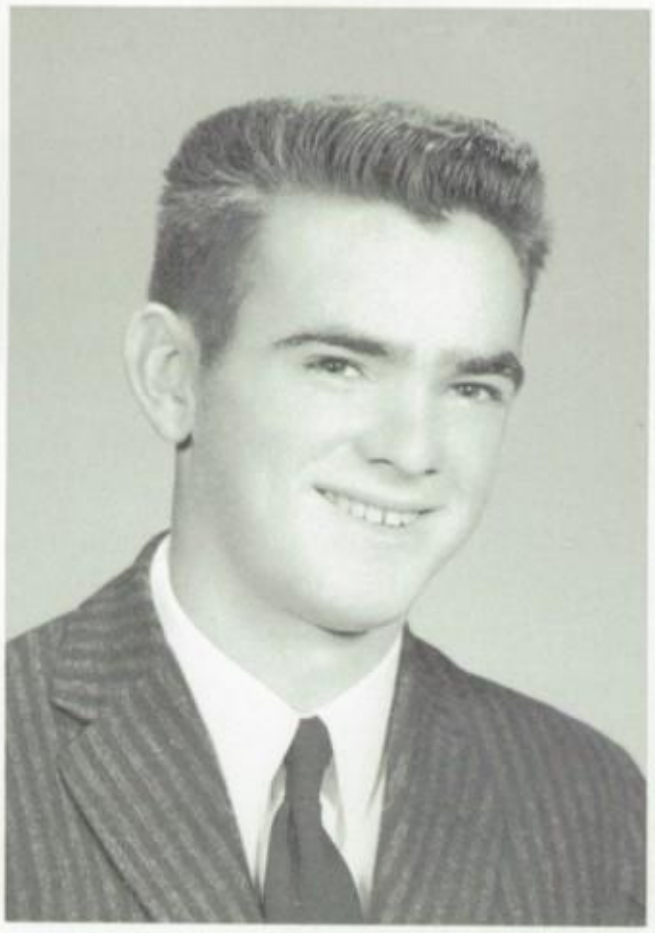
Nancy Hunter

Judith Jinks

Richard Jones

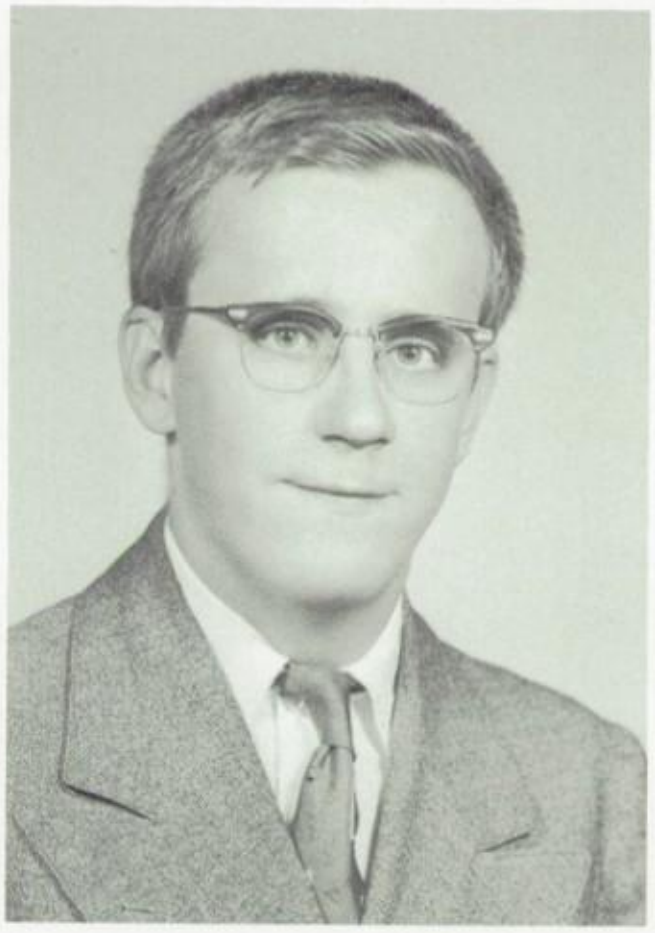
Seniors

Class of '62



William Jones

Walter Kuentz



Charles Lahr

Beverly Lesniak

William Lewis

Patrick Malone

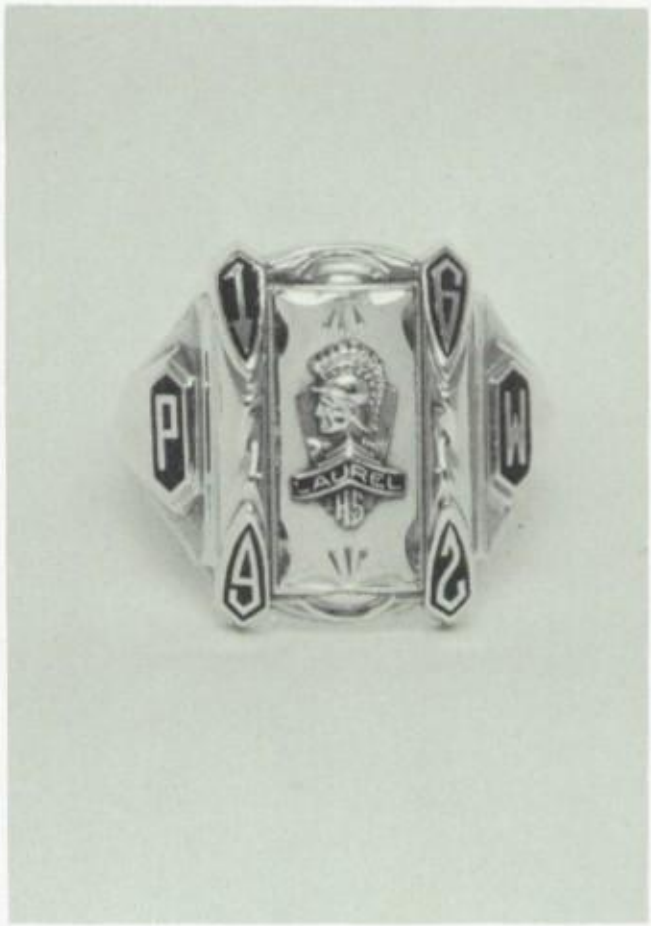
Janet Marshall

William McClelland

Seniors

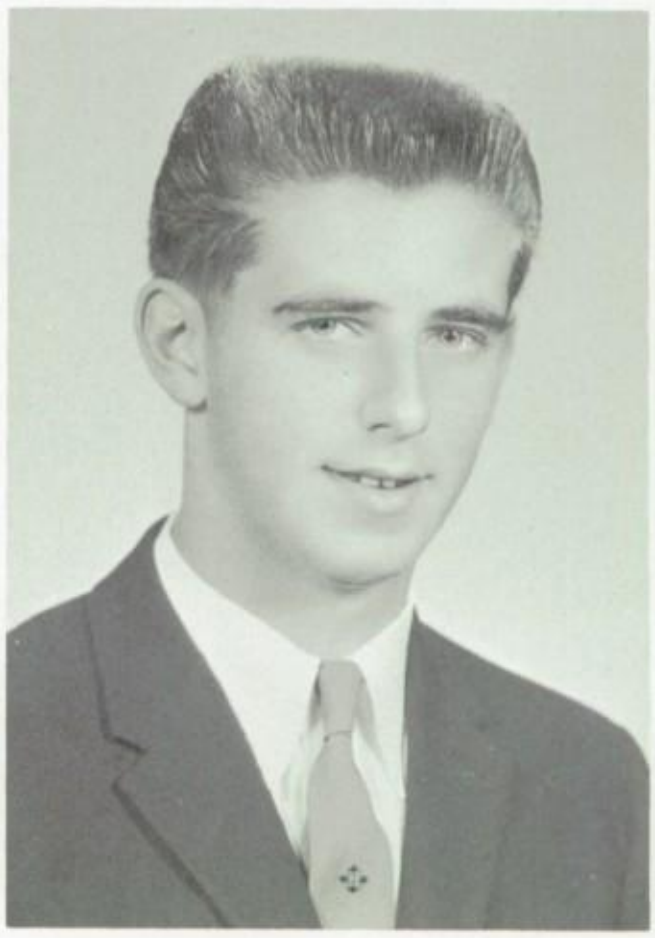
Class of '62

James McClymonds



Donna McMichael

Richard Meade



Seniors

Betty Miles

Mary Miller

Barbara Mohan

Mary Morrison

Eileen Musguire

Charlotte Park

Glenda Patterson

Phyllis Patterson

Norma Powell

John Prosser

Daniel Reeher

Mary Rhodes

Class of '62

Saundra Robinson

Thomas Robinson

Barbara Roth

Carole Schneider

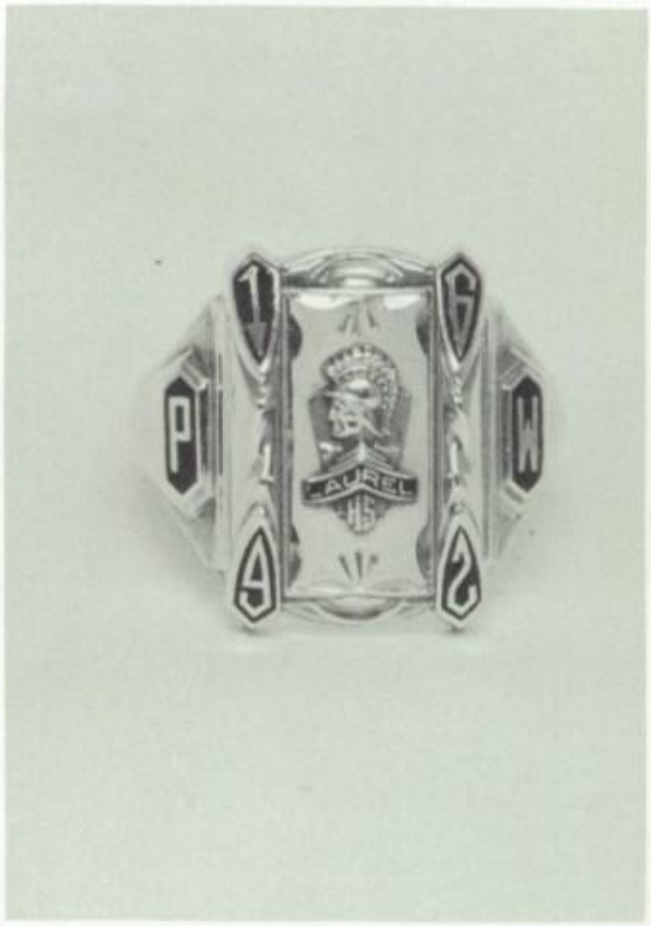
Marianne Shaffer

Howard Sheffler

Sally Sickafuse

Lelanie Smith

Theodore Smolkowicz



Class of '62

Wilhelmena Stevenson

Edith Stickel

Seniors

Frankie Ann Taylor

Robert Thompson

Olive Vogan

Joyce Vredenburg

Class of '62

David Wagner

Judy Ward

Kay Wasserman

Pearson Wright

Do You Remember?

Senior Sidelines

Charles L. Alborn
"Chuck"
Camera Club 3,4
Play Staff 3

Betty Jane Anderson
"Betty"
Cheerleader 2,3 Capt. 4
Band 2,3,4 County 3
Chorus 2,4 County 2
Varsity Club 2,3
Pep Club 3
Play Cast 4
Roaring 80's Club 4

Elgie Arblaster
"Tom"
Athletic Club 2
Safety Club 3

Mary Ann Arblaster
"Annie"
Drill Team 2,3
Band 2,3,4
Yearbook Staff 4
Pep Club 3
Roaring 80's Club 4
Dance Band

Anthony J. Audia
"Herk"
Camera Club 2,3,4
Football 2,3
Yearbook 3
Play Cast 4

James Baldwin
"Baldy"
F.F.A., Pres. 3,4
Demonstration Team 2,3,4
Student Council Pres. 4
Play Cast 3,4

Kathleen Jean Barker
"Kathy"
Cheerleader 2,3 Capt. 4
Varsity Club 3
Pep Club 3
Student Council 3
Roaring 80's Club 4
Harvest Ball Court 3,4
National Honor Society 4
F.T.A. 2

Ronald Bluedorn
"Pete"
Football 2,3,4
Class Officer 2, Pres. 4
Student Council 2
Chorus 4
Varsity Club 2,3
Varsity L Club, Pres. 4

Dana Bobbert
"Dana"

George Brown
"George"

Hazel Cameron
"Haz"
Play Staff 3,4
Newspaper Club 2,3
Hostess Club 4

Roberta Cameron
"Fat"
Newspaper Club 2,3
Hostess Club 4
Play Staff 3,4

Galen Clapper
"Clappe"
Play Staff 4

D. George Corner
"George"
Camera Club 2
Varsity Club 4
Football 3,4

Albert Dale Cowan
"Termite"
Camera Club 2,3,4
Football 3
Play Cast 3,4

Wayne E. Dean
"Wayne"
F.F.A. 2,3,4
Play Staff 3

Constance Louise Duncan
"Connie"
Hostess Club 3

Shirley R. Edie
"Shirley"
National Honor Society 4
Drill Team 2,3,4
Chorus 2,3,4
Harvest Ball Court 4
Class Officer 3,4
Yearbook Staff 3, Editor 4
Yearbook Club 2
Homeroom Representative 2
Newspaper Club 3,4 Pres.

James Fennick
"Jim"
Football 2,3,4
Basketball 2,3,4
Baseball 2,3,4
Varsity Club 2,3
Varsity L Club 4
Chorus 4
Student Council 2,4
Harvest Ball Court 2,4

Arlene Fisher
"Arlene"
Band 2,3,4 County 3
F.T.A. 2,3,4
Pep Club 3
Chorus 4
Dance Band 4

Marlene Fisher
"Marlene"
Band 2,3,4 County 3
Chorus 2,4
Pep Club 3
F.T.A. 2,3,4
Dance Band 4

Virginia Ann Fisher
"Ginger"
Dramatics Club 2
Chorus 3
Hostess Club 4

Dave Flack
"Dave"
Football 3
Track 3,4
Phys. Ed. Club 2

Kathleen Foley
"Kathy"
Newspaper Editor 4
Student of the Month 3
District Band 2,3
Chorus 3
Play Producer 3
F.N.C. 2,3

Carol Elaine Fowler
"Carol"
Newspaper Club 3,4
Band 3,4 County 3
Chorus 4
Play Cast 3,4

Paul Gajda
"Paul"
Football 2,3,4
Baseball 3,4
Varsity Club 2,3
Varsity L Club 4

Scott Gibson
"Scott"
Football 2,3,4
Track 3,4
Varsity L Club 4

Robert Hammerschmidt
"Bob"
Band 2
Camera Club 2,3,4
Newspaper Staff, Co-Editor 4
Yearbook Staff 4
Play Staff 4
Statistics Basketball
National Honor Society 4

Katherine Harkless
"Kathy"
Pep Club 3
Cheerleader 2,3
Chorus 3,4
Roaring 80's Club 4
Play Staff 4
Yearbook Staff 4

Robert Hill
"Shemp"
F.F.A. 2,3,4
Demonstration Team 2,3,4
Penn State Judging 2,3

Donna Jean Hogue
"Donna"
Class Officer 4
Roaring 80's Club 4
Homecoming Court 4
Harvest Ball Queen 4
Play Staff 3,4

Carole Hunt
"Carole"
F.T.A. 2,3,4
Band 3,4
Newspaper Club 2,3,4

Nancy Hunter
"Nancy"
Chorus 3,4
Pep Club 3
Roaring 80's Club 4
Yearbook Staff 4
Nurses Club 2
Play Staff 4

Judith Jinks
"Judy"
Chorus 2,4 County 2
F.N.C. 2,3,4

Richard Jones
"Dick"
F.F.A. 2,3,4

William Jones
"Bill"

Walter Kuentz
"Sir Walt"
Camera Club 2
Newspaper Club 4
Basketball 3

Charles Lahr
"Chuck"
Phys. Ed. Club 3
Football 3,4
Varsity Club 4

Beverly Jean Lesniak
"Bev"
Newspaper Club 2,3
Hostess Club 4
Play Staff 3,4

William Lewis
"Bill"
Transfer from Zelienople

Patrick E. Malone
"Pat"
Camera Club 2
Phys. Ed. Club 2,3
Roaring 80's Club 4
Play Staff 3

Janet Marshall
"Janet"
F.N.C. 2,3,4
Band 2
National Honor Society 4
Yearbook Staff 4
Newspaper Staff 4

William E. McClelland
"Bill"
Phys. Ed. Club 2,3
Play Staff 3
Roaring 80's Club 4

James McClymonds
"Jim"
Phys. Ed. Club 2
Track 2,3
Safety Club 3
Varsity L Club 4

Donna McMichael
"Donna"
F.T.A. 2,3,4
National Honor Society 3,4
Play Staff 3,4
Class Officer 3,4

Mary Miller
"Mary"
Cheerleader 2
Roaring 80's Club 4
Play Staff 3,4

Richard Meade
"Dick"
Roaring 80's Club 4
Phys. Ed. Club 2
Track 3

Betty Miles
"Betty"
Newspaper Staff 4
Yearbook Staff 3,4
Play Cast 3
Play Staff 4
Homeroom Representative 3,4
Harvest Ball Court 2
Roaring 80's Club 4

Barbara Lee Mohan
"Moe"
Chorus 3
Friendship Club 2
Hostess 4

Mary Ruth Morrison
"Mary"
Dramatics Club 2,3
Hostess Club 4
Yearbook Staff 4

Eileen Rebecca Musguire
"Leenie"
F.N.C. 2,3
Play Staff 3
Newspaper Club 4

Charlotte Louise Park
"Charlie"
Chorus 2,4
Drill Team 2,3,4
Dramatics Club 2
Newspaper Club 3
Hostess Club 4
Play Staff 3
Newspaper Staff 4

Glenda Patterson
"Glenda"
Head Majorette 2,3,4
Chorus 2,4 County 2
F.N.C. 3,4
Pep Club 3
Student Council, Secy. 3
Harvest Ball Court 2,3,4
Homecoming Queen 4
Sweater Queen 3
Newspaper 2,4
Play Cast 3,4

Phyllis Ann Patterson
"Phill"
Drill Team 2,3,4
F.N.C. 2,3,4
Play Staff 3

Norma Jean Powell
"Norm"
Yearbook Staff 3,4
Newspaper Club 2,3,4
Play Staff 3,4

John Charles Prosser
"John"
Play Staff 3
Yearbook Staff 4
Newspaper Club 4

Dan Reeher
"Danny"
Football 2,3,4
Basketball 2,3,4
Track 3,4
Safety Club 3
F.T.C. 4

Mary Rhodes
"Mary"
Majorettes 2,3,4
F.T.A. 2,3,4 Pres. 2
Chorus 2,4 County 2
Girls Ensemble 2
Pep Club 3

Sandra Jean Robinson
"Sandy"
Newspaper Club 3,4
Newspaper Staff 4
Yearbook Club 2
Drill Team 2,3,4
Chorus 2,3,4
Play Cast 3

Thomas Robinson
"Tom"
Student Council 3
Camera Club 3
Chorus 2,3,4 County 2,4
District Chorus 3,4
Quartet 2,3

Barbara Ann Roth
"Barb"
Class Officer 3
Pep Club 3
Play Staff 3,4
Hostess Club 4
Harvest Ball Attendant 4

Carole Ann Schneider
"Carole"
Chorus 2,3,4
Newspaper Club 2,3,4

Marianne Shaffer
"Marianne"
F.T.A. 2,3 Pres. 4
Honor Society 3,4
Newspaper Staff 4
Play Cast 3,4

Majorette 2,3,4
Homeroom Representative 2
Pep Club 3

Howard Sheffler
"Howard"
Football 2,3,4
Track 3,4
Varsity Club 3
Roaring 80's Club Pres. 4
Class Pres. 3
Student Council 4
Chorus 2,4
Band 2,3,4 Dance Band 4

Sally Sue Sickafuse
"Sally"
Future Nurses Club 2,3
Play Staff 3
Cheerleading 4
Homeroom Representative 4
Newspaper Club 4

Lelonie Smith
"Lee"
Chorus 3,4
Friendship Club, Secy. 2

Ted Smolkowicz
"Smokey"
Chorus 2,4
Varsity Club 3
Harvest Ball Court 3,4
Basketball 2,3,4
Baseball 2,3,4
Football 2,3,4
Student Council 4
Phys. Ed. Club 3
Newspaper Staff 4
Roaring 80's Club 4
Play Cast 3

Wilhelmena Mae Stevenson
"Willie"
Drill Team 2,3,4
Chorus 2
Art Club 3
Roaring 80's Club 4

Edith Mae Stickel
"Edie"
Homemaking Club 2,3
Hostess Club 4
Play-Student Director 3
Play Cast 4
Yearbook Staff 4

Frankie Ann Taylor
"Frankie"
Play Staff 3,4
Chorus 3
Youth Correspondent 3,4
Drill Team 2,3,4
Newspaper Club 2,3,4

Robert Dale Thompson
"Bob"
Play Cast 3,4
Phys. Ed. Club 3
Roaring 80's Club 4
Chorus 4
Camera Club 2
Band 2

Olive Arlene Vogan
"Ollie"
F.N.C. 2,3
Hostess Club 4

William Voorhees
"Bill"

Alice Joyce Vredenburg
Newspaper Club 3
Newspaper Staff 4
Play Cast 3
Drill Team 2, Co-Capt. 3,4
Play Staff 4
Homeroom Representative 3
National Honor Society 4
Yearbook Staff 4
Roaring 80's Club 4

David Edward Wagner
"Dutch"
F.F.A. 2,3 Officer 3
Play Staff 3
F.F.A. Procedure Team 3

Judith LaVerne Ward
"Judy"
Drill Team 2, Co-Catp. 3,4
Newspaper Club 3,4
Play Cast 3,4
Yearbook Staff 4

Kay F. Wasserman
"Kay"
Band 2,3,4, Dance Band 4
Chorus 2,4
Pep Club 3
Roaring 80's Club 4
Newspaper Club 2
Play Staff 3
Homecoming Attendant

Pearson Demont Wright
"Tutsie"
Football 2,3,4
Class Officer 2
Harvest Ball Court 2
Varsity Club 3
Play Cast 3
Chorus 2,3,4

Classes

Juniors

Kay Allison
Mildred Allison
Lana Aven
Mary Jo Bergman
Harriet Boak

Barbra Booher
Chris Booher
Jim Book
Sara Lee Bowden
Roger Brown

Hazel Burnside
Jim Cameron
Andrea Chapman
Ron Crowe

Peggy Davis
Irene Dean
Larry Dean

Carole Dougherty
Tom Drake

Alan Dudash

Secretary:
Shirley Walczak
President:
Ken Harlan
V. President:
Chris Booher
Treasurer:
Larry Dean

Irene Enscoe
Nancy Fowler
Sam Fray
Janice Gibson
Bill Glasser

Frank Gollen

Bonnie Harlan
Charles Harlan

Juniors

Kenny Harlan
Norman Houk
Tom Houk

Herb Hunt
Jane Hunt
Marion Hunt
Mary Johnson

Nancy Johnson
Donna Jones
Judy Kerr
Charlene Key
Judy Kirkpatrick

Kathy Marcus
Dave Marshall
Margaret McChesney
Ron McClymonds
Margie McElwain

Juniors

Class of 1963

Jewel McFarland
Evelyn Mitrea
Isabel Mizner
Mary Mizner
Karen Myers

Joy Reeher
Gayle Reynolds
Dave Robinson
Judy Sharek
Shirley Snyder

Eleanor Stevenson
Joyce Stickel
Don Stoner
Jack Stoner

Karen Stoner
Edith Thompson
Jean Tonder

Shirley Walczak
Gloria Walzer

Cathy Ward

Carl Weigle
Karen Wimer

K. Anderson
S. Anthony

S. Arblaster
J. Armstrong

The class officers are Mary Jo Leonhardt, Shirley Sickafuse, Joe Roth, and John McConnell.

J. Audia
C. Aven

K. Axe
M. Bales
K. Bash

Sophomores

W. Berry
A. Best
T. Blesch
D. Book

K. Boyd
L. Brown
T. Burns
C. Carlton
E. Cox

C. Crawford
R. Cwynar
T. Davis
H. Dean
R. Dean

B. Dean
D. Denniston
L. Denniston
J. Dougherty
N. Doutt
C. Fenton

Sophomores

Class of 1964

N. Fisher
B. Frye

B. Furlong
S. Gabauer

B. Gibson
D. Gibson

J. Gibson
M. Gorgacz
B. Hammerschmidt

J. Harris
S. Hazen
S. Hill
T. Houston

M. Houk
J. Hull
R. Jordan
D. Kelley
R. Kulinski

D. Lee
M. Leonhardt
D. Lewis
L. Lough
B. Lukas
M. Magee

D. Malone
D. Marshall
F. McConnell
J. McConnell
R. McCreary
J. Metz

Sophomores

Class of 1964

E. Miller
R. Miller

L. Minteer
K. Moser

K. Musguire
D. Perine

B. Polenick
B. Powell
K. Prosser

B. Rickenbach
M. Scotia
R. Shaffer
S. Shaffer

S. Sickafuse
D. Steve
J. Stevenson
B. Stoner
S. Symons

G. Tanner
J. Thompson
C. Tillia
B. Vaughn
D. Wellman
S. Wellman

K. Wigton
M. Willey
N. Young
C. Young
B. Young
K. Zeigler

Freshmen

Sue Allen
Gary Allison
Barbara Armagost

Charles Barker
David Barker
Dan Barnes
Marcia Blesch
Kenny Bluedorn

Kathy Bodziach
Earl Bowden
Karen Boyles
Patty Brown
Laura Cameron

Bill Cameron
Mildred Conrad
Karen Copper
Linda Copper
Kenny Cowan

Paul Crowe
Denny Dean
Marjorie Dean
Don Dickinson
Mary Downs

Bill Dudash
Nancy Edie
Floyd Fobes
Linda Guthrie
Karen Hammerschmidt

Kenny Haney
Larry Haney
Dick Harlan
Bob Heckathorne
Linda Hunt

Paul Hunt
Susan Hunter
Ronnie Johnston
Linda Kennedy
Kenny Kerr

Freshmen

Shirley Kerr
Diane Kimmel
Richard Kirkpatrick
Diane Kulinski
Frank Lahr

Terry Link
Sam Locke
Bill Magee
Ruth Ann Majors
Harry Marcus

John McChesney
George McConahy
Joan McConnell
Margie McConnell
Rennee McCormick

Jean Ann McCue
Patty McElwain
Ardeth McEwen
Joe McMichael
Mike Metz

George Miles
Beverly Miller
Sandra Minteer
Virginia Minteer
Lorraine Mitrea

Elizabeth Mizner
Diana Mumford
David Myers
Anthony Naples
David Nimmo

Darlene Owens
Ross Palmer
Halland Phillips
John Pisano
Linda Reed

Jon Reno
Christine Riley
Carole Shaffer
Randall Shaffer
Eugene Sharek

Freshmen

Jerry Shetter
Sandra Simpkins
Viola Stickel
Eddie Stolish
Nancy Stoner

Elaine Tillia
Shirley Turk
Shirley Vredenburg
Patty Walzer
Eugenia Watt

Irene Watt
Georgette Wellman
Curtis Wertz
Nancy Wettich
Kay Williams

Marta Wilson
Margaret Withrow
Betty Young
Joe Zajac
Marilyn Zook

Eighth Grade

Row 1—Kerry, Boak, Allison, Litwinowicz, Steinberg, Thomas, McMichael, Cameron. Row 2—Cross, Gehann, DeSanzo, Cooper, Allison, Moser, Walters, Brady. Row 3—Mr. Wetzel, Grove, Drespling, Glenn, Millikin, Jarrett, McCormick, White. Row 4—Drespling, Brown, Robinson, Brown, Miller, Walters, Okomski, Miller.

Eighth Grade

Front—Copper, Morris, Gross, Brown, Stone, Simpkins, Forsberg, Bender, Ferree. 2—McAnallen, Hogue, Robinson, Kronstad, Wynder, Book, Hawthorne, Richael, Altman. 3—Mrs. Evans, Hellyer, Young, Houk, Jordan, Carlton, Dean, Taylor, Harris, Morris. 4—Stolish, Graham, Lucas, Litwinowicz, Kerr, Haney, Ward, Vogan, Best.

Front—Williams, Parker, Bessell, Braatz, Morre, Boyles, Boyd, Rea, Walton. 2—McCracken, Aggas, Weston, Inman, S. McCracken, Barnes, Hazen, Dean, Doutt. 3—Mr. Gardei, Lockley, Snyder, Williams, Shingleton, McConahy, Giannone, Macom, Denniston. 4—Kwolek, Berry, Juliano, Weide, Hoover, Robinson, Candioto, Miller, McDeavitt.

Seventh Grade

Front—Mohan, Emmett, Powell, Kosevic, Johns, Drake, Morrison. 2—Vaughn, Watt, Barker, Schooley, Covert, Axe, Kelly. 3—Mr. Fox, Quimby, McKnight, Cwynar, Slater, Morrow, E. Quimby. 4—Wimer, Link, Grove, Houston, White, Bobbert, Harlan.

Front—Jaworsky, Wellman, Morrison, Jones, Bergman, Ruby, Braatz. 2—Quarterson, Crowe, Minteer, Walzer, Bash, Copper, Cowan. 3—Rouser, Steele, Wallis, Fray, Hunt, Enscoe, Young, Patterson. 4—D'Aurio, Edie, Harlan, McGowan, S. Young, Grodecoeur, Clark. 3—Homeroom teacher Mrs. Reynolds.

Seventh Grade

Front—Cross, Brooks, Iorio, Hunt, Kerr, Wheale, McClymonds, McAnany. 2—Shetter, Houston, Myers, Reed, Silvis, Minch, Braatz, Ballew. 3—Mrs. Giles, Williams, Leonhardt, Miles, Steele, Hahn, Glasser, Rickenback, Sickafuse, Michaels, Bodziach, Pratt. 4—Hilliard, Stevenson, Stoner, Godwin, Carlton, Moore, Bachman, Duncan.

Front—Albert, Roth, Collins, McChesney, Dambach, Fleeger, Walczak, Platt. 2—Moore, Allison, Piper, Bessell, Trupe, Kirkpatrick, Rung, Kerr. 3—Mr. Yanek, Cline, Hanna, Sharek, Schuller, Johnson, Jameson, Polenick, Frazier, Fullwood, McConahy. 4—Reagan, Park, Tindall, Parker, Ballangee, Wilson, Boyles, Wilson.

Activities

Seasonal Activity

Queen Donna and King Howard

Harvest

The King and Queen

One of the many gifts being presented by John McConnell and Judy Harris.

Ball

surrounded by their court.

Bonnie Kost and Michael Gardei.

Homecoming - - Laurel's First

Queen Glenda

Captain, Paul Gajda, crowns the Queen!

Halloween Parade

A prize-winning float in the parade.

Robert the Robot

The crowd as they watched the parade.

Lock, Stock, and Lipstick

Seated-Donna McMichael, Glenda Patterson, Bob Thompson, Jim Baldwin, Anthony Audia, Betty Anderson.
Standing-Miss Banks, Mary Rhodes, Judy Ward, Edith Stickel, Marianne Shaffer, Phyllis Patterson, Dale Cowan.

I'll be holding high the torch of learning while you and that woman are suffling papers around together.

"Now as I see your problems," and once again Jane Gardner breezes into the outrageous world composed of lock, stock, and lipstick. Life used to be bright for guidance counselor, Mr. Warren until catastrophe strikes his stately office. To make bad matters worse he gets no peace with Miss Prather, the long-time mathematics teacher, who returns to school with her longer-than-usual list of complaints. Distress comes when Mr. Plunkett insists on his proper title, "Supervising Sanitary Engineer." Who but Mrs. Donley would declare that her sons, Larry, the next level above a delinquent, and Don, the more a ambitious of the two, could do no wrong. Mrs. Maggs keeps the play moving with her incessant scheming, but the principal, Miss Entwhistle, escapes it all by resigning. However, all ends well when Gordon is forced to admit that Jane is just what the counselor ordered.

Senior Play

Don't get shook up, Dad!

I was going to ask you to empty the wastebasket but I'll be happy to do it myself Mrs. Maggs.

Five hundred and twelve dollars. . .that's a lot of money!

Please, Mr. Postman—Is there a letter for me?

Class of '63

To put it bluntly, I don't like you one bit!

Thanksgiving Dance

Well, now that the guests are here, let's eat.

Blue Christmas

The evening ended all too quickly as students danced to the music of the rhythmic "Off-Beats."

Elgie Arblaster, Marlene Fisher, Kathy Marcus, and Dave Flack add an attractive complement to the tall, proud Christmas tree.

I Was A Teen-Age Dracula

Seated-Marianne Shaffer, Carol Fowler, Sandy Robinson, Joyce Vredenburg, Judy Ward, Betty Miles. Standing-Mary Rhodes, Edith Stickel, Jim Baldwin, Ted Smolkowicz, Glenda Patterson, Howard Sheffler, Dan Reeher, Tom Mitchell, Dale Cowan, Pearson Wright, Bob Thompson.

Mrs. Gardei, Director

Junior Play

Steve Dracca from Transsylvania was the teen-age dracula who, according to Marlene, held the entire Marshall household under his "hex". The zombies and a coffin-like suitcase add to the mystery as Steve wearily explains his name has no connection with any dracula from anywhere.

Senior Dinner Dance

The atmosphere suggests dancing and what could be more appropriate?

Best wishes to you, Mrs. Robison,
from the Senior Class of 1961.

A wonderful climax to twelve years of school—food!

Too quickly we danced the evening away!

Springtime Is

Spring time is prom time and prom time featured flowing formals and delicate corsages. Beautiful flowers and exquisite fountains set the scene for memories which will never be forgotten. The background of music offered additional enchantment for those dancing "Under the Magnolias."

The Prom of 1961 served as a grand finale to a wonderful year.

Prom Time

Who could help but dance to the enjoyable music of the Twilighters!

Graduation - 1961

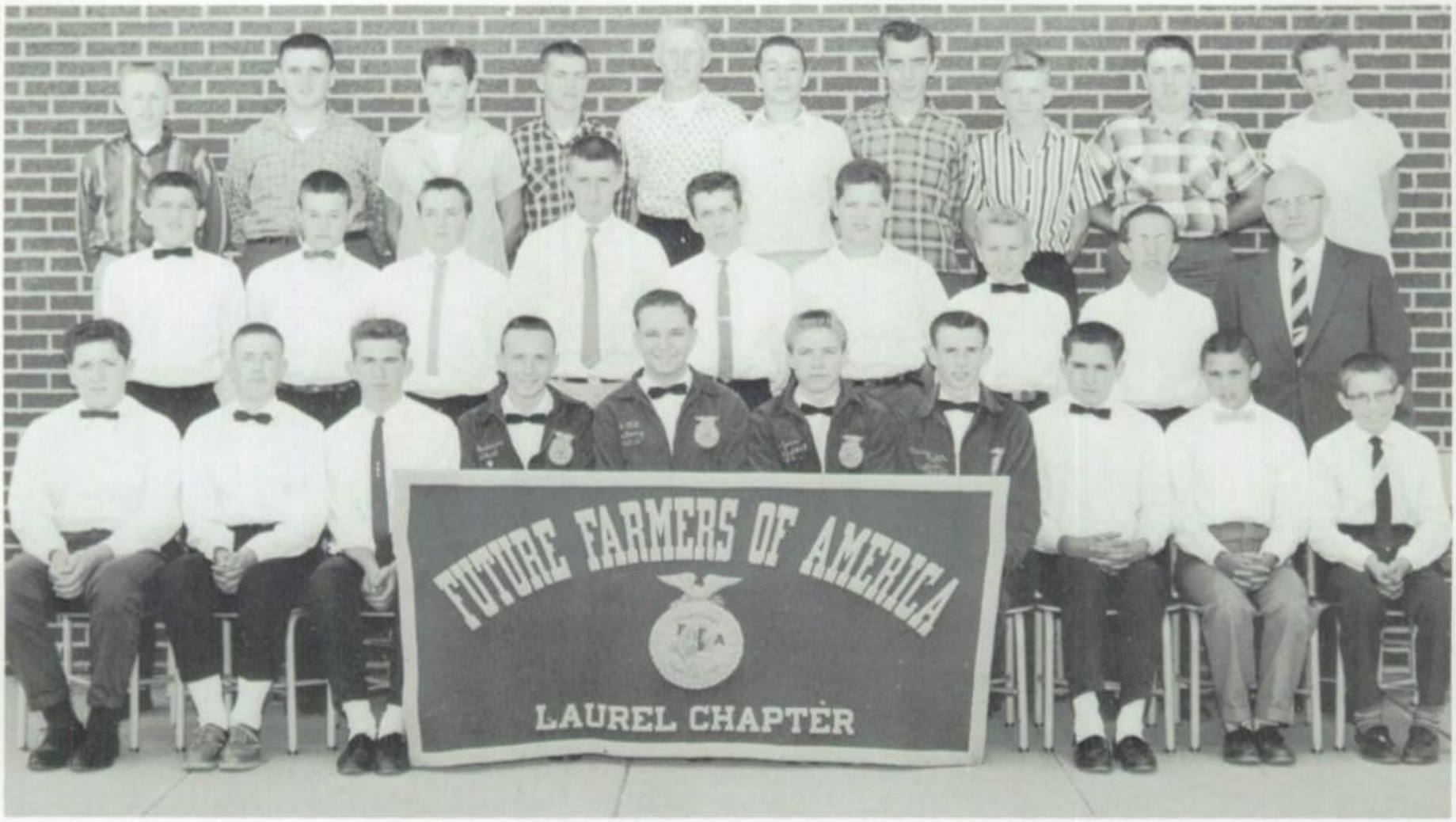
On Thursday evening, June 8, 1961, seventy-two students were graduated from Laurel High School. Dr. Charles Davis brought the address, "Tomorrow is Today," challenging the graduates to spend each day as if it were the tomorrow which never comes.

The awarding of diplomas by the President of the Board of Education, Mr. Wendell Dean, brought the evening to a climax as each senior realized his goal had been reached. For some, this was the threshold for future ambitions which must be fulfilled. For them graduation was not the ultimate end, but merely the end of the beginning.

Congratulations

"Pomp and Circumstance"

Future Farmers



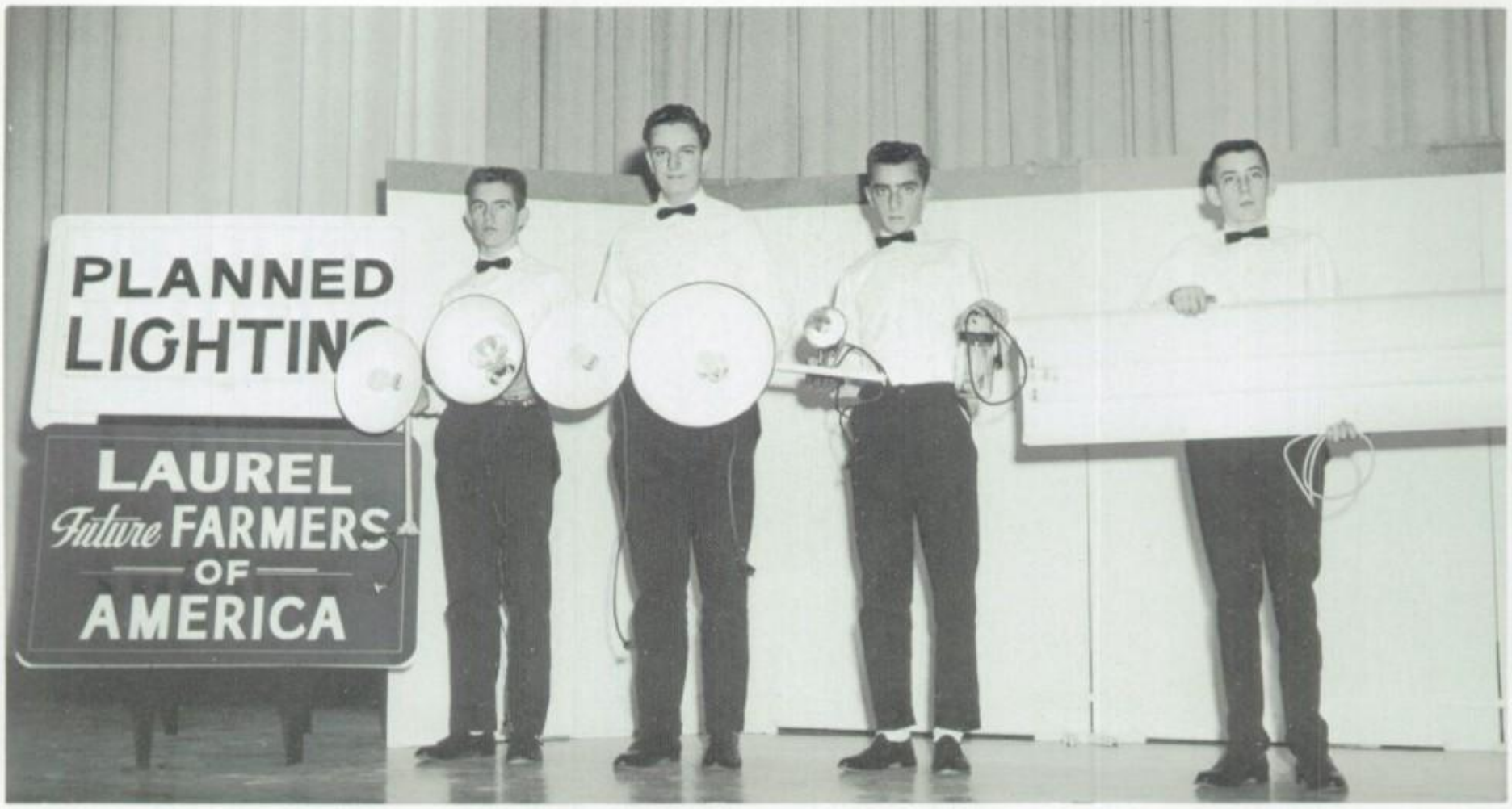
Row 1--Fisher, Fobes, McConnell, Baldwin, Hill, Jones, White, Lukas, Kulinski, Myers. 2--Cameron, Hammerschmidt, Glenn, McConnell, Dean, Tillia, Stoner, Mr. Fox. 3--Gibson, Cwynar, Reno, Harlan, Burns, Duncan, Demmel, Wigton, Rhodes, Minteer.

Laurel Future Farmers continued to win honors in 1961-62. In October, the Chapter received its fourth National Gold Emblem Award at the annual FFA convention held in Kansas City, Missouri. President, Jim Baldwin, Robert Hill, Harry White, Richard Lukas, and Mr. Fox attended the convention.

Other awards and honors received were:
"Superior" Award Plaque for over-all accomplishments. Special Plaque, $50--Eastern States Farmers Exchange--1961 "Spice" Award for six practices in improving country environment. Donald White won 1961 FFA Scholarship Plaque and $50 given by Superior Sand Company. David DeSalvo received the DeKald Award and $25 from J. Francis Boak Insurance Agency. Dave Emery received $25--Herbert E. Rodgers Agency Award. Bob Hill won the State Horseshoe Pitching Contest. At District Show, Meadville, Pa., Robert Glenn, showing his Holstein cow, received both a Master Fitters and Master Showmans Award. Wayne Patterson was elected Keystone Farmer, highest degree in the State. Joseph Bodziach served as Vice-President, 1961-62. At the Pennsylvania Farm Show, Fred McConnell garnered a first place and two red ribbons with three gilts. Howard Dean won highest honors in County for yield of 121 bushels of corn per acre. As guests of the United States Steel Co., Howard, his father, Mr. Dean, and Mr. Fox, Teacher, spent a day in Pittsburgh touring two district steel mills and stayed at the Penn Sheraton Hotel. Laurel received ten Gold Emblem Awards, highest number in the area, in the Lawrence-Beaver-Butler Area Project. Demonstration teams for 1961 and 1962 were invited by the Pennsylvania State University to present their demonstrations to seniors in Agricultural Education. The purpose of these visits was to portray features to be considered in the writing and presentation of a demonstration.

A rear view of the Laurel agricultural class room, often considered a model among Pennsylvania schools.

F.F.A.



The Laurel FFA demonstration "Planned Lighting" which placed third in state wide competition and was second in the electric contest in the state. Demonstrators, left; John McConnell, Robert Hill, Paul Demmel, and Fred Mc Connell.

Laurel Future Farmers planted Pin Oak trees on the front lawn of Laurel School in autumn of 1961.

Laurel

Mr. William R. Owens,
Advisor

Kathy Foley,
Editor

Hi-Lighter

Robert Hammerschmidt,
Co-Editor

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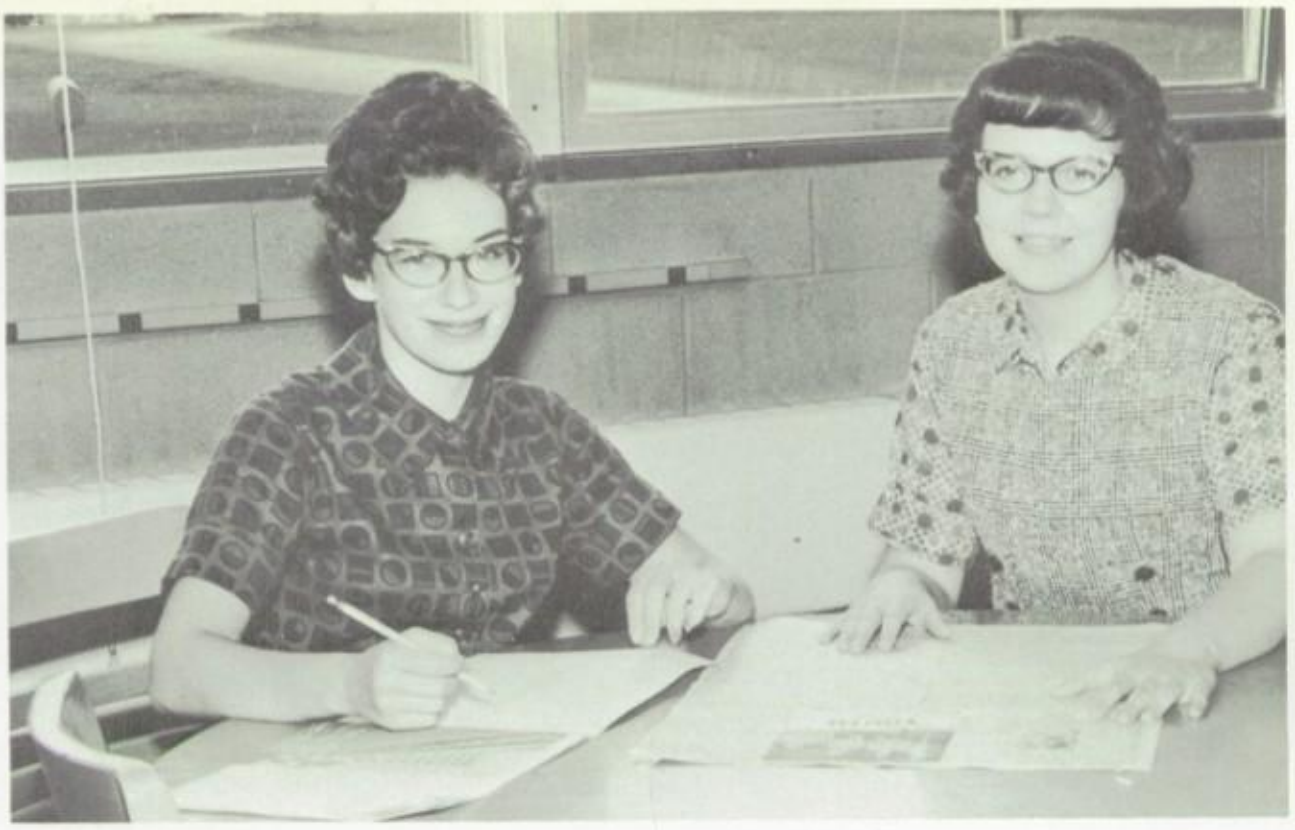


Drivers' Training Car. Driver, Mr. Richard Kost.

Working on their Art projects are: Galen Clapper, Janice Dougherty, Carol Fenton, Kathy Anderson, Barb Gibson, Dorothy Denniston, Kathy Marcus, Judy Kerr, Willie Stevenson, Glenda Patterson, Mr. Gardei, Milan Bales.

Senior Chorus

Row 1-Audia, Mumford, Harkless, Robinson, McFarland, Reed, Rickenbach, Locke, McChesney, Bowden, Rhodes, Leonhardt, McElwain, Kimmel, Hunter, Riley, Gorgacz, Hammerschmidt, Copper, Barry, Cox, Schneider, Gibson, Hunt, Robinson, Harris, Hill, Fowler, Fowler, Robinson, Patterson, McChesney. Row 4-Fennick, Sheffler, Houston, Jinks, Phillips. Accompanists-M. Scotia, S. Kerr, and N. Doutt.

Junior Chorus

Row 1-R. Platt, D. McClymonds, R. Rung, R. Wilson, P. Moore, K. Allison, S. Robinson, C. Dean, L. Bender, D. L. Park, B. Jameson, B. McCracken, V. Rickenbach, D. Boyles, D. Kerr, S. McCracken, B. Stoner, J. Houston, R. Forsberg, R. Weide, B. Aggas, S. Vogan, A. Lukas, K. Barnes, G. Hogue, L. Glasser, C. Bachman, J. Moore, S. panist-J. Kerr.

Armstrong, Williams, Bodziach, Park, Wettich, Turk. Row 2-Dougherty, Naples, McConnell, Edie, Anderson, Bergman. Row 3-Mr. Schweinberg, McConahy, Reynolds, Hazen, Dean, Bowden, Wasserman, Aven, Metz, Allen, Bales, McMichael. Wright, Stoner, Thompson, Drake, Smolkowicz, Bluedorn, Smith, Chapman, Fisher, Fisher,

D. Hilliard, L. Hawthorne, J. McChesney, S. Doutt, E. Dambach, H. Williams. Row 2-S. McAnallen, L. Hunter, Ballangee, C. Wilson, S. Richael, B. Kronstad, K. Hazen. Row 3-D. Morris, R. Cooper, P. Graham, L. Graham, J. Miller. Row 4-Mr. Schweinberg, M. Hellyer, L. Williams, S. Young, T. Shingleton, D. Steel, W. Berry. Accom-

Band

Row 1-K. Williams, M. Rhodes, M. Shaffer, A. Chapman, G. Patterson, Majorettes. Row 2-M. Kwolek, S. Allen, Arblaster, M. Fisher, A. Fisher, J. Harris, M. Houk, C. Richael, B. Brady, R. Johnston, K. Boyd. Row 4-M. Downs, Dean, D. Lockley, J. Boyd, B. Anderson, B. Braatz, T. Bodziach, H. Phillips, T. Drake, P. Hunt, W. Berry, A. Dougherty, J. Armstrong, N. Wettich.

Mr. Raymond Schweinberg, Director

The Band awaits half-time at the football game.

K. Zeigler, R. Wilson, C. Boyles, J. McFarland, J. Gibson, C. Key, C. Riley, K. Bodziach. Row 3-S. Polenick, M. J. Kerry, S. Kerr, S. Locke, C. Fowler. Row 5-R. Harris, J. Gross, J. Dean, C. Crawford, C. Hunt, M. Wilson, B. Naples, J. McMichael. Row 6-Armagost, C. Dougherty, S. Bowden, S. Vredenburg, G. Reynolds, K. Copper, J.

Junior High Band

Row 1-J. Kerr, R. Wilson, C. Boyles, B. Brady, S. Richael, M. Kwolek. Row 2-H. Williams, J. Boyd, R. Weide, D. Lockley, B. Aggas, K. Moser, S. Dean. Row 3-C. Wilson, S. Polenick, J. Dean, W. Berry, R. Harris, J. Gross, T. Bodziach, B. Braatz, B. Stoner, J. Macom.

Student Council

Jim Baldwin,
Student Council
President

The Student Council, under the guidance of Mr. Stoerkel, is an organization in which every student is represented. Music, in the cafeteria at lunch time, was one of many projects undertaken this year. Proceeds from the checkroom at basketball games helped to build a scholarship fund. Each year a senior is selected to receive an award to help further his or her education.

Row 1—Ken Harlan, Margaret McChesney, Barb Gibson, Jim Baldwin, Howard Sheffler. 2—Mr. Stoerkel, Harry Williams, Marta Wilson, Anthony Audia, Jim Fennick, Don Stoner, Dianne Hilliard.

Row 1 - K, Barker, G. Patterson, J. Vredenburg, W. Stevenson, B. Anderson. Row 2 - S. Edie, D. McMichael, J. Marshall, K. Foley, Row 3 - C. Hunt, M. Shaffer, B. Hammerschmidt, J. Jinks, Mrs. Wiley.

Honor Society

The National Honor Society is in its second year at Laurel High School. Members are chosen on a basis of leadership, character, scholarship, and service. The main project for the year was a Christmas post office. They were also responsible for the new high honor roll and the care of the bulletin board. Membership is a coveted honor, because of its high ideals. The sponsor is a former member of a high school Honor Society. We wish to thank Mrs. Wiley for the outstanding job she has done.

Hostess Club

1—Vogan, Fisher, Duncan, Morrison, Rickenback, Cameron, H. Cameron, Gibson, Aven. 2—Mrs. Platt, Mrs. Reynolds, Roth, Mohan, Smith, Kirkpatrick, Snyder, Johnson, Dean, Magee. 3—Myers, Owens, Harlan, Lesniak, Stickel, Gabauer, Shaffer, Kerr, Jones, Park.

Newspaper Club

1—Ferree, Wimer, Bowden, Stickel, Hunt, Daugherty, Schneider, Sickafuse. 2—Audia, Ward, Bluedorn, McChesney, J. Ward, Taylor, Steve, Aven, Boak. 3—Mr. Owens, Prosser, Kuentz, Thompson, Key, Fowler, Davis, Steele, C. Fowler, Robinson. 4—Edie, Reynolds, Hunt, Enscoe, Allison, Booher, Sharek, Walzer, Bergman.

Camera Club

Front—Aggas, Miller, Weston, Boyles, Doutt, Rea. 2—Hammerschmidt, Snyder, Kwolek, Robinson, Gianonne, Macom, Weide, 3—Mr. Miller, Fray, Alborn, Cowan, Audia.

F.T.A.

Front—Reeher, Drake, Shaffer, M. Fisher, A. Fisher, Rhodes. 2—Hunt, Allison, McMichael, Walczak, Chapman, Dudash, McFarland, Mr. Watson.

F.N.A.

Row 1 - N. Doutt, D. Perrine, S. Wellman, K. Zeigler, M. Zook, G. Patterson, W. Berry. Row 2 - M. Willey, J. Armstrong, J. Marshall, M. Leonhardt, K. Axe, P. McElwain, B. Voughn, J. Harris, Row 3 - K. Boyd, L. Brown, T. Blesch, J. Jinks, N. Young, J. Metz, L. Denniston, P. Patterson, S. Hazen, C. Carlton, Mrs. Burns.

Fashion, Flare, Fling Club

Row 1 - Cowan, Kerr, Kelly, Cooper, Rung, Bash, Jordan, Braatz, Ballew, Piper. 2 - Allison, Dean, Minteer, Richael, Minch, Moore, Wilson, Walzer, Robinson, Wynder, Shetter. 3 - Hawthorne, Kerr, Haney, Kronstad, Barker, Harlan, McGowan, Bobbert, Altman, Book. 4 - Vogan, Hazen, Hogue, Barnes, Clark, Conrad, Walzer, Blesch, Minteer, Duncan, Hilliard. 5 - Tindall, Best, Ward, Bachman, Moore, Carlton, McCracken, Hunter, Park, Jameson. 6 - Inman, Stolish, Graham, Polenick, Candiota, McDeavitt, Allison, Godwin, Lucas, Hoover, Juliano. 7 - Allison, Cooper, Walters, Litwinowicz, Grodecour, Morrow, Enscoe, Brown, Brown, Rictor. 8 - Yeager, Graham, Jordan, Shingleton, Meade, Houk, Williams, Hellyer.

Alpha Betta Gamma

Front—McClymonds, Walczak, Mr. Stoerkel. 2—Iorio, Houston, Thomas, Myers. 3—Albert, Reagan, Fullwood, Collins. 4—Gross, Morris, Frasier, Brady. 5—DeSanzo, Hanna, Jarret. 6—McCracken, Rickenback, Pratt, Glasser. 7—Hann, Miller, Drespling, Williams.

Book Club

Seated—Harlan, Wilson, Kirkpatrick, Boyles, Young, Simpkins, McAnallen. Standing—Mr. Yanek, Walton, Furlong, Hill, McConahy, Simons, Hall, Mitrea, Morris, Dean.

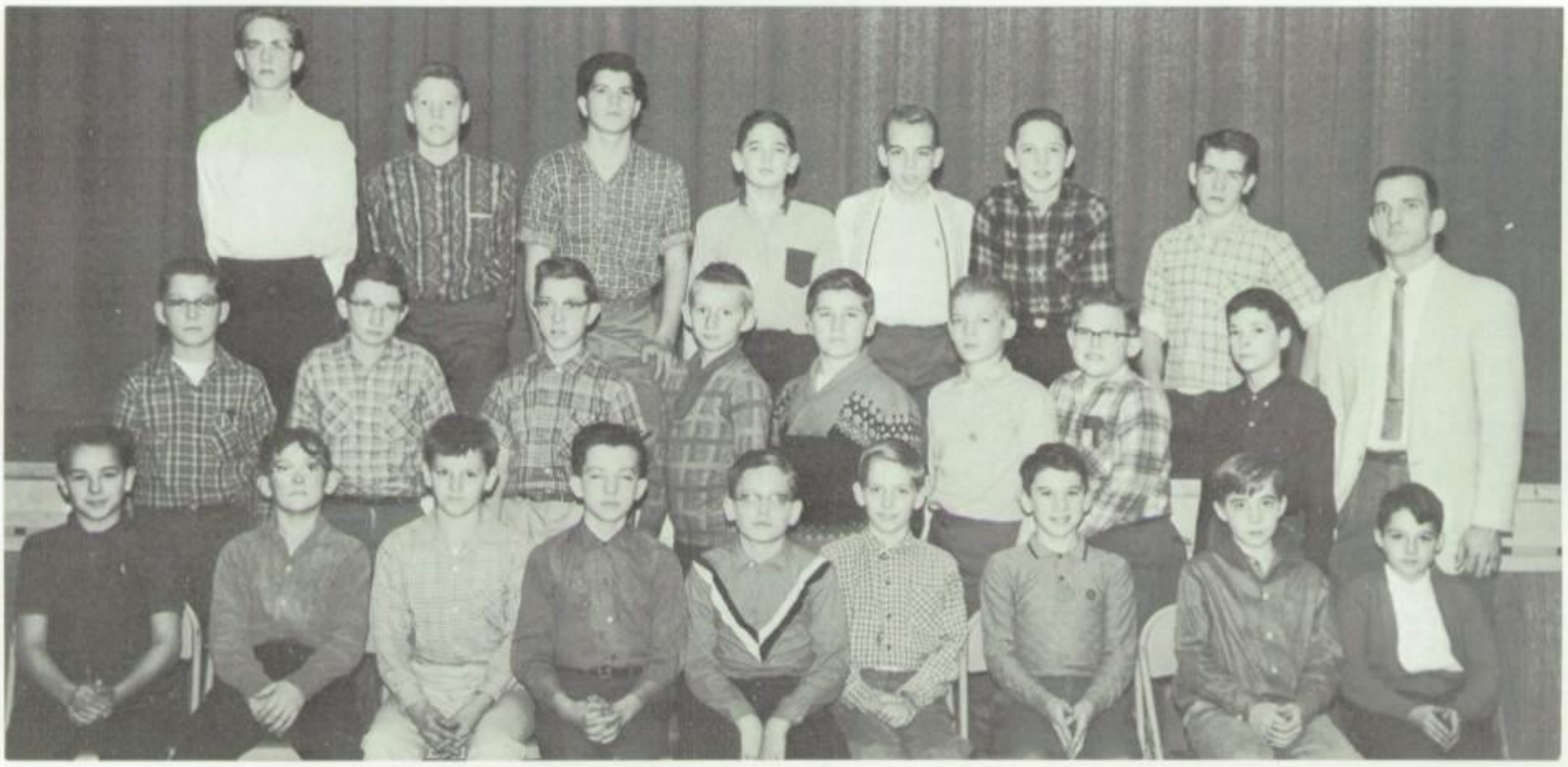
Varsity L

Row 1 - D. Stoner, B. Powell, T. Houk, D. Wellman, R. Gibson, 2 - Mr. Bakewell, J. Lambo, D. Malone, F. Freeman, R. Cwynar, D. Robinson, D. Flack, Mr. Tetemanza. 3 - S. Gibson, J. Fennick, G. Corner, L. Sniezek, P. Gajda, P. Bluedorn.

Roaring 80's

Row 1 - Gibson, Tonder, Sickafuse, Gibson, Gorgacz, Thompson, Johnson, Marcus, Dougherty, Denniston. 2 - Scotia, Cox, Stevenson, Harkless, Hogue, Vredenburg, Stevenson, McElwain, Fenton, Anderson, Anthony. 3 - Miller, Hunter, Wasserman, Anderson, Barker, Robinson, Prosser, Lee, Crawford, Musguire. 4 - Arblaster, Davis, Bash, Polenick, Frye, Harlan, Gibson, Rictor, Best, Tanner, Stevenson. 5 - Shaffer, Dean, Harlan, Dean, Hunt, Book, Malone, Cook, Marshall, Stoner. 6 - Houston, Bales, Lukas, Malone, McClelland, Smolkowicz, Crowe, McClymonds, Sheffler, Booher, Thompson. 7 - Roth, Lambo, Weigle, Young, Glasser, Meade, Arblaster, McClymonds, Jones, Cameron.

Hobby Club



Row 1 - F. Jaworski, L. Morrison, R. Silvas, C. Ruby, J. McChesney, B. Brooks. E. Dambaugh, D. Hunt, R. Platt. 2 - K. Moser, R. Bessell, E. Stoner, D. Brown, J. Forsberg, B. Braatz, H. Parker, D. Stevenson, Mr. Wetzel. 3 - D. Lockley, R. Carlton, H. Millikin, R. Copper, W. Berry, L. Parker, C. Denniston.

Sportsman's Club

Row 1 - Morrison, Johns, Drake, Wheale, Braatz, McAnany, Keer, Fleeger, Cameron, McMichael. 2 - Williams, Boyd, Roth, Michaels, Goodwin, Cross, Steinberg, Ballengee, McConahy, Wellman. 3 - Crowe, Edie, Moore, Stoner, Allison, Walters, Powell, Emmett, Sharek, Goodwin. 4 - Houston, Book, Patterson, Wimer, Paul, Slater, Link, Quimby, D'Aurio, Caldararo, Leonhardt. 5 - Cross, Kerry, Gehann, Miller, Okomski, Robinson, Harris, Taylor, White, McCormick. 6 - Fray, McKnight, Glenn, Rouser, Cwynar, Drespling, Grove, Mr. Giles.

Row 1 - Turk, Guthrie, Kulinski, Owens, Kerr, Wettich, Williams, Bodziach, Cameron, Stickel. 2 - Copper, Kerr, Bowden, Haney, Johnston, Naples, McChesney, Dickinson, Armagost, Stoner, Dean. 3 - Tillia, Withrow, Young, Edie, Hunter, McCue, Majors, Minteer, Watt, McCormick. 4 - McEwen, Reed, Hunt, Mumford, Boyles, Downs, Copper, Hammerschmidt, Link, Rictor, Mizner. 5 - Mr. Timm, Shaffer, Vredenburg, Kennedy, Riley, McConnell, Wilson, Miller, Kimmel, Allen, Cowan, Mr. Shaw. 6 - Marcus, Locke, Pisano, Glenn, Kirkpatrick, Hunt, Magee, McConahy, Dean, Lahr, Phillips. 7 - Freed, Cameron, Barnes, Wertz, Crowe, Allison, Shaffer, Palmer, Miles, Metz, McMichael, Dudash, Petit.

Travel Club

Officers

Viola Stickel,
Business Manager
Marta Wilson,
Treasurer
Kay Williams,
Secretary
George Miles,
President
Dennis Dean,
Vice President

Drill Team

Row 1 - J. Vredenburg, M. Bergman, M. Withrow, B. Young, S. Edie, C. Ward, M. Leonhardt, N. Edie, N. Stoner, M. McChesney, J. Kerr, J. Ward. 2 - L. Copper, W. Stevenson, J. Sharek, S. Walczak, M. Hunt, E. Thompson, J. Tonder, P. Patterson, S. Robinson, J. Gibson, C. Park, F. Taylor.

Mrs. Patricia Giles, Drill Team Advisor

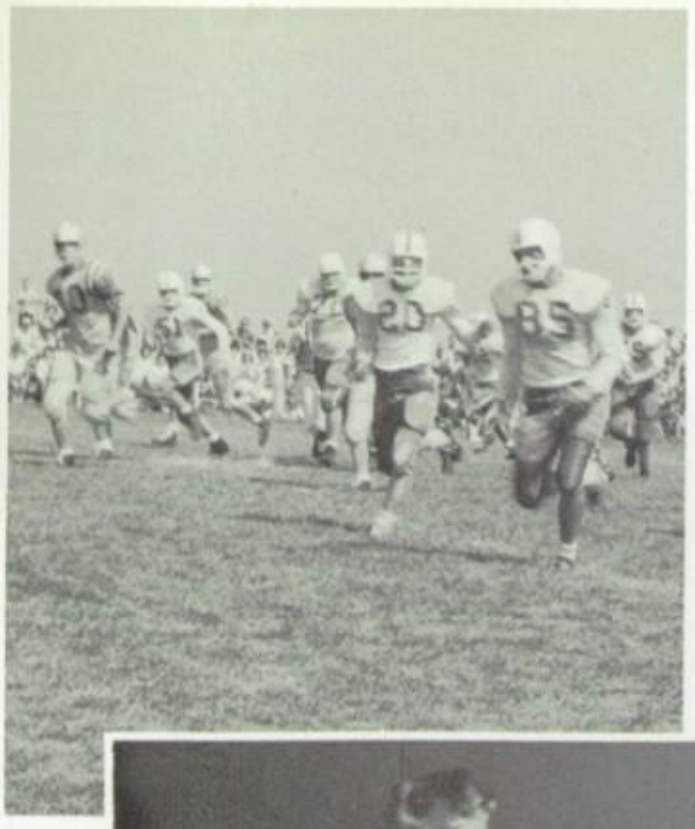
Mr. Raymond Schweinberg, Majorette Advisor

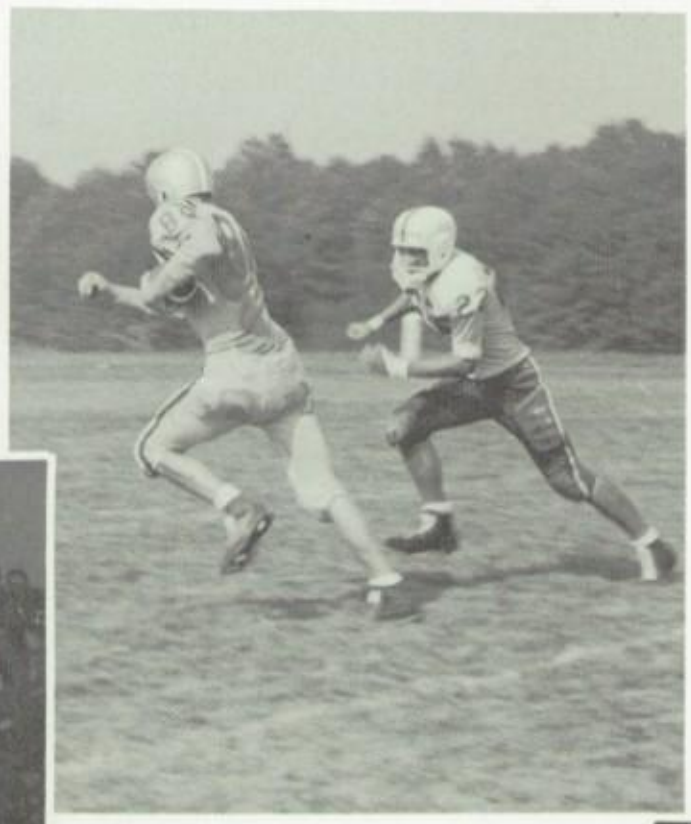
Majorettes

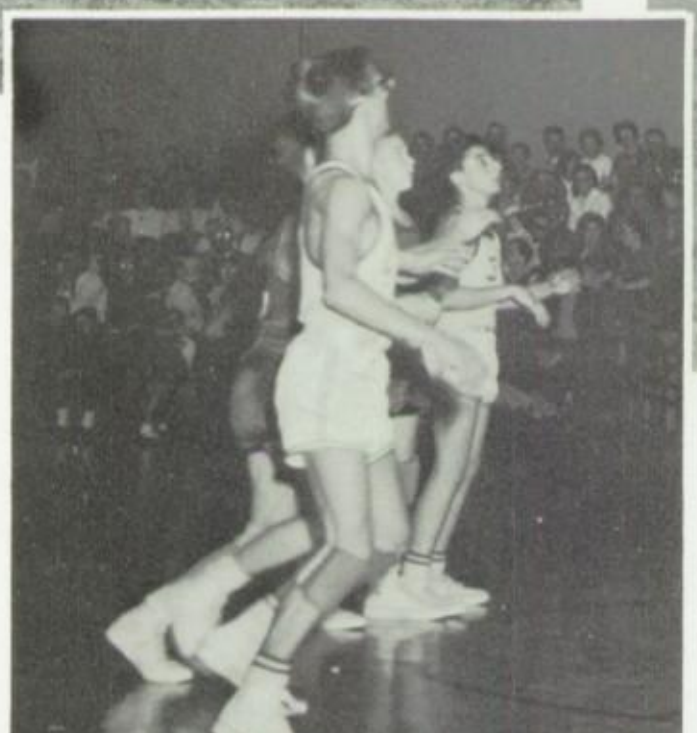
Row 1 - M. Rhodes, A. Chapman, G. Patterson, M. Shaffer, K. Williams. Row 2 - B. Armagost, C. Dougherty, K. Copper, J. Dougherty, G. Reynolds, S. Bowden, S. Vredenbrug, J. Armstrong, N. Wettich.

Athletics

Seasonal Action







Football

Mr. Byron Bakewell
Head Coach

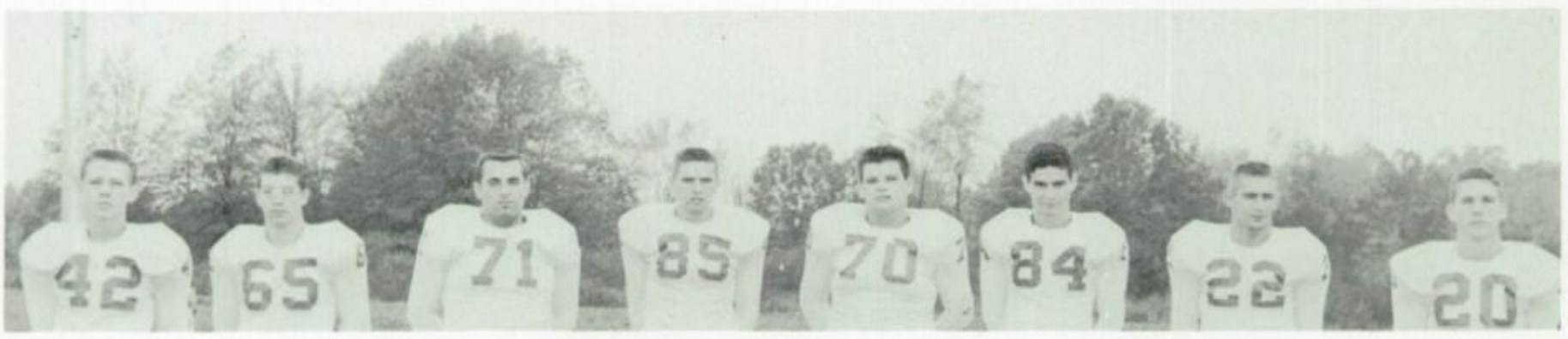
Game	Opposition	Laurel
Reynolds Joint	14	6
Mohawk	27	14
George Jr.	26	0
Randolph East-Mead	13	0
Townville	19	0
Northwestern	25	6
Karns City	0	35
Zelienople	13	0

Coaches confer with managers.

Football

Row 1-Gajda, Corner, Bluedorn, Smolkowicz, Sheffler. 2-Houk, Fennick, Wright, Gibson, McClymonds, Robinson. 3-Gibson, Freeman, Glenn, Cwynar, Powell. 4-Marshall, Crowe, Sneizek, Booher, Lambo, Roth. 5-Mr. Bakewell, Malone, Wellman, Tanner, Mr. Tetemanza.

Everybody for himself—Charge



Hey, where's my team?

The outlook wasn't brilliant for the Laurel eleven that day.

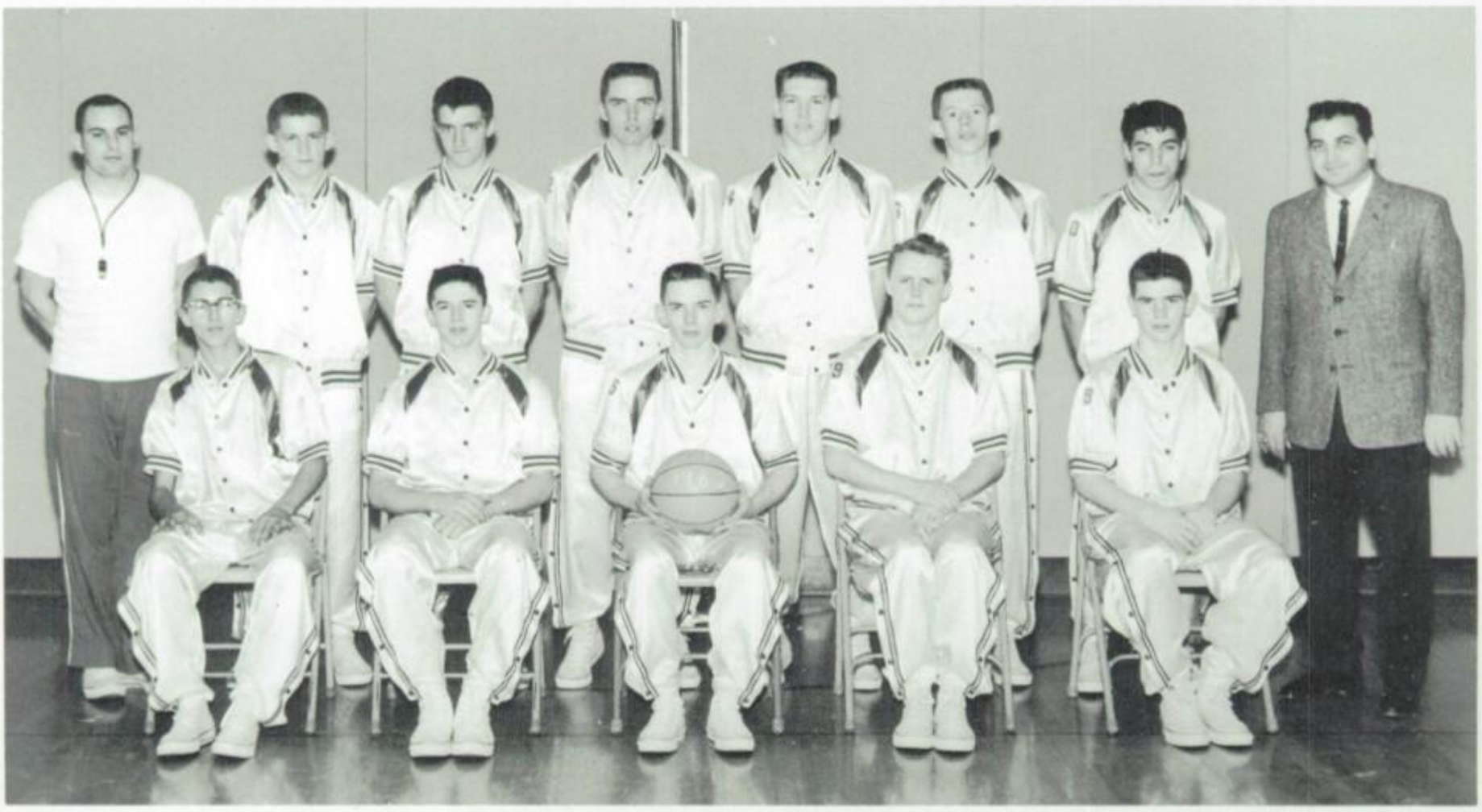
Row 1-Glenn, Glenn, Miles, Crowe, Wertz. 2-Drespling, Duncan, Milliken, Barnes. 3-Patterson, Okornski, Taylor, Crowe, Roth. 4-Wellman, Kerr, Quimby, Mohan, Mr. Hassan, Harris, Caldararo.

Basketball

Mr. Richard Kost
Coach

Scores

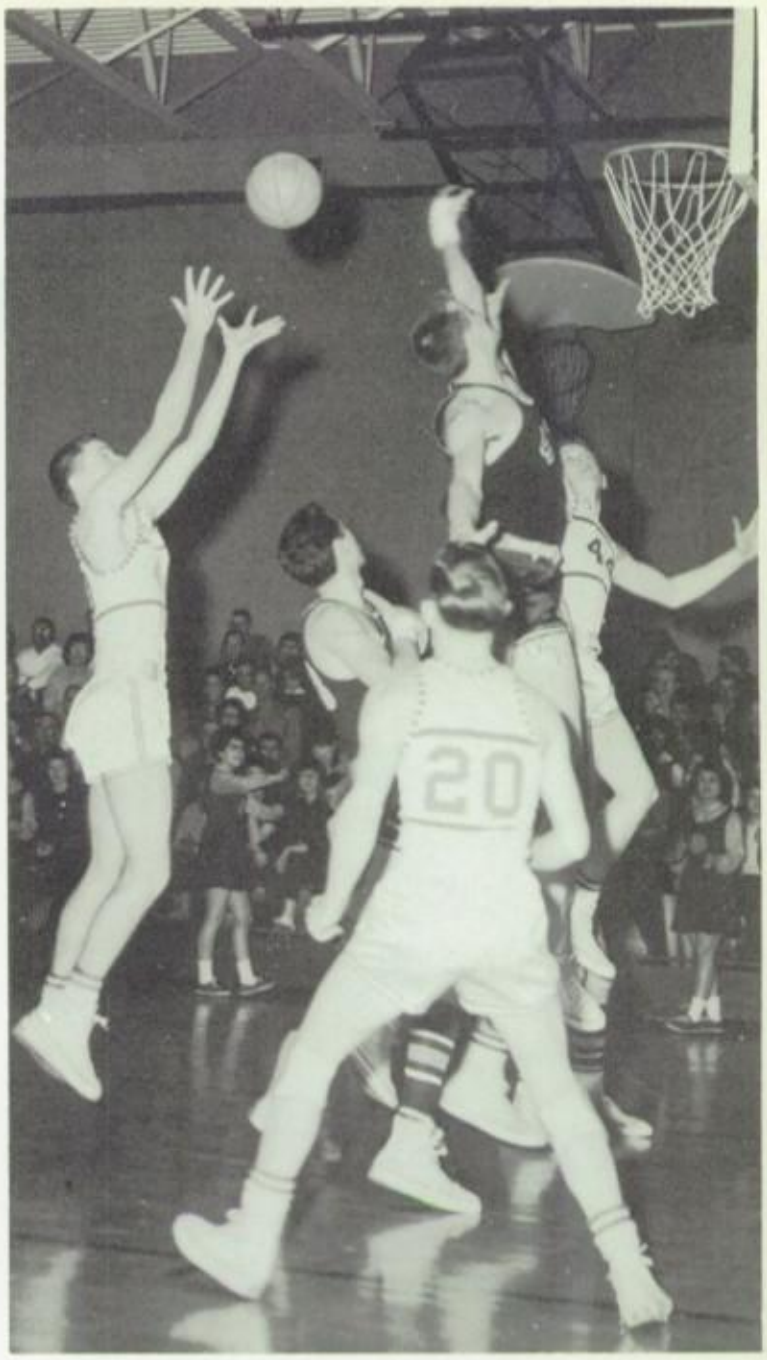
GAME	OPPONENT	LAUREL
Evans City	36	32
Mars	52	49
Northwestern	36	51
New Brighton	58	39
Evans City	52	48
Alumni	43	37
Union	56	45
Mohawk	69	71
New Wilmington	56	37
Zelienople	60	55
Shenango	57	36
Neshannock	66	34
Northwestern	37	57
Union	69	43
Mohawk	68	51
New Wilmington	47	35
Zelienople	71	53
Shenango	57	45
Neshannock	81	52



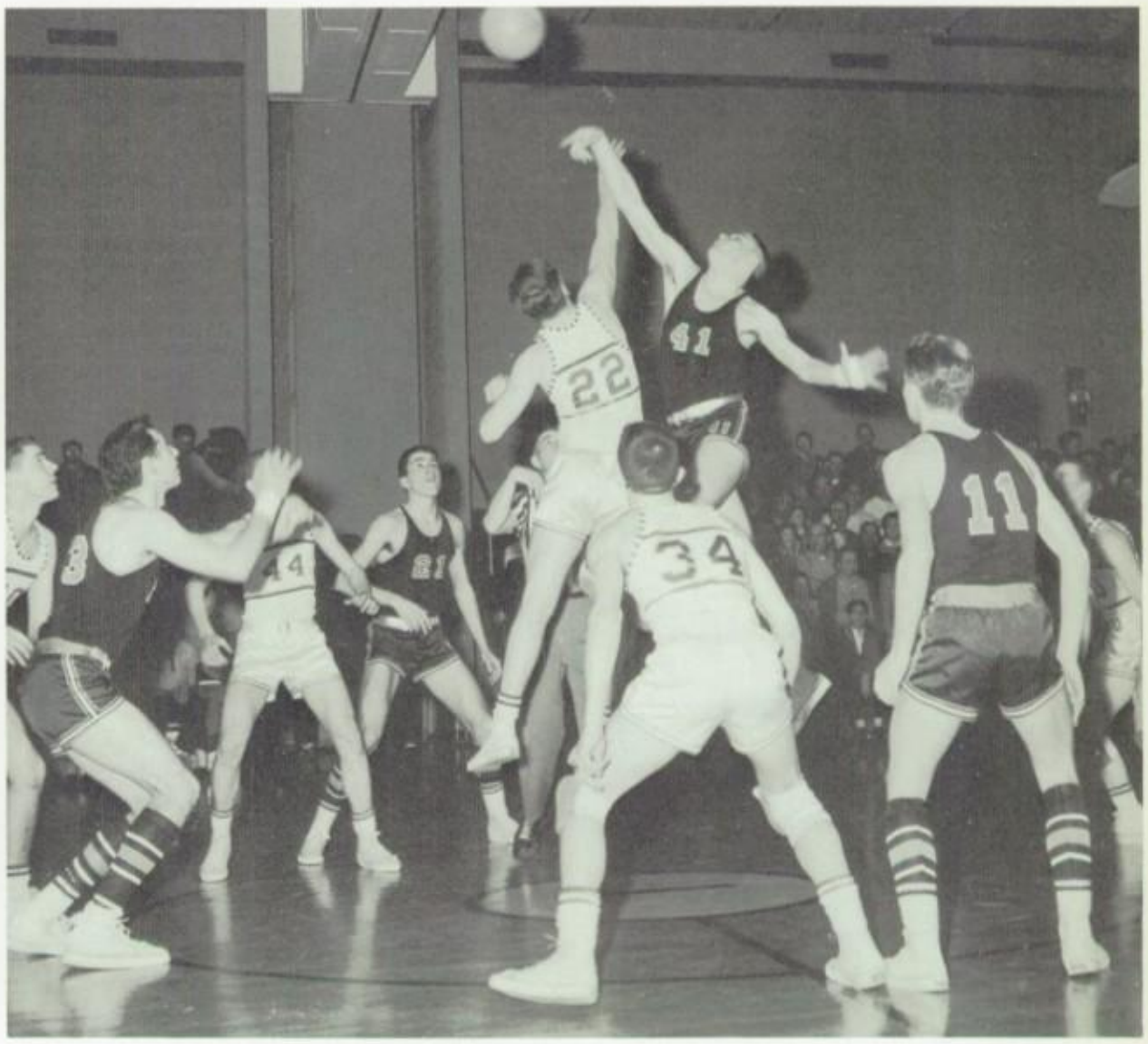
Row 1—Dean, Weigle, Harlan, Reeher, Drake. Row 2—Mr. Kost, Coach, Roth, Glenn, Fennick, Crowe, Young, Lambo, Mr. Hassan, Asst. Coach.

Varsity Action

Crowe hesitates before he passes the ball to Ken Harlan.



Jim gets the rebound.



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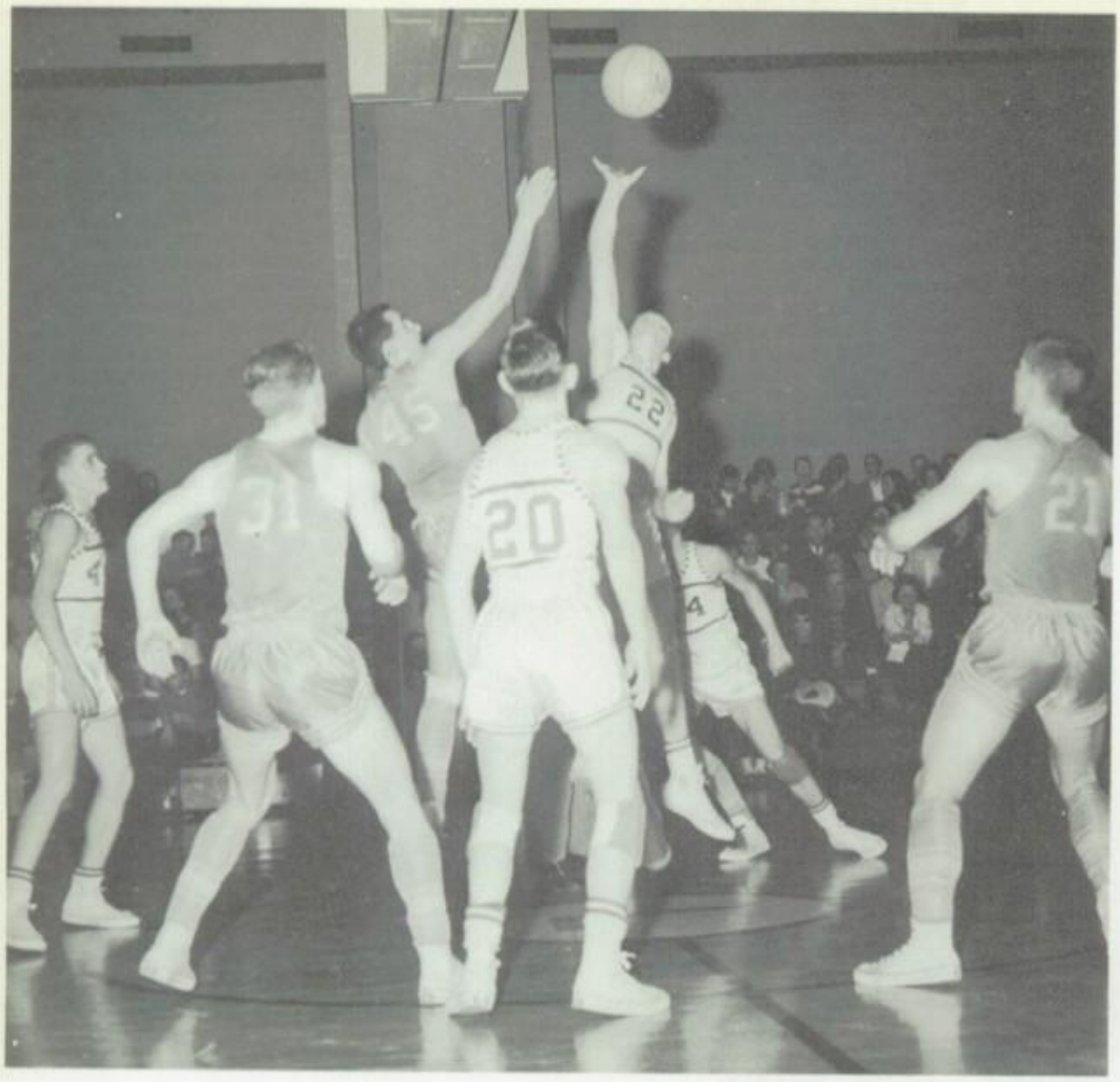
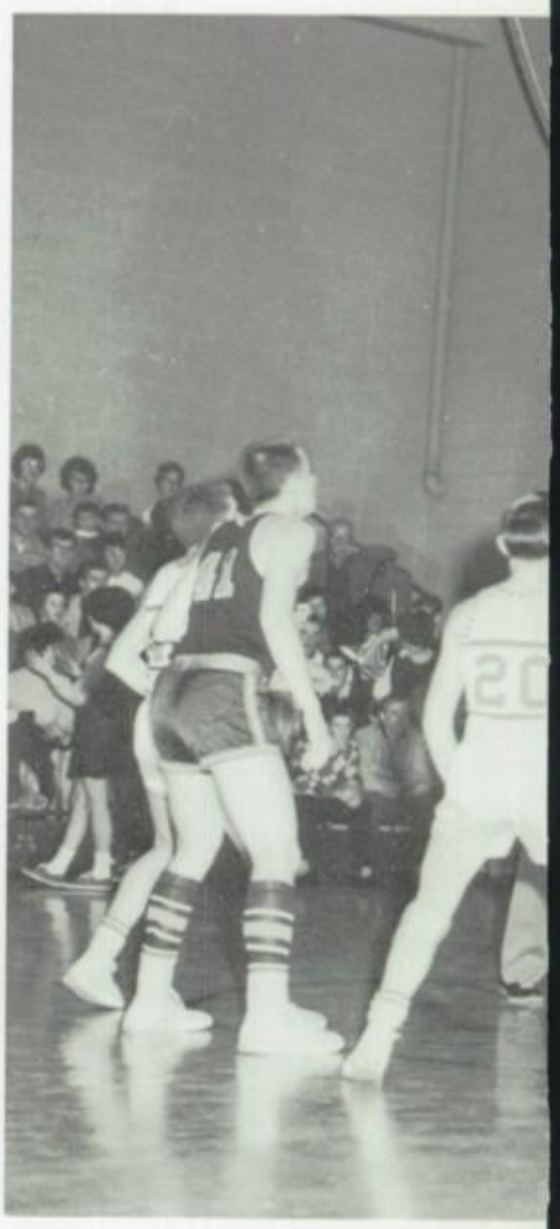


Ron Crowe reaches for the sky.

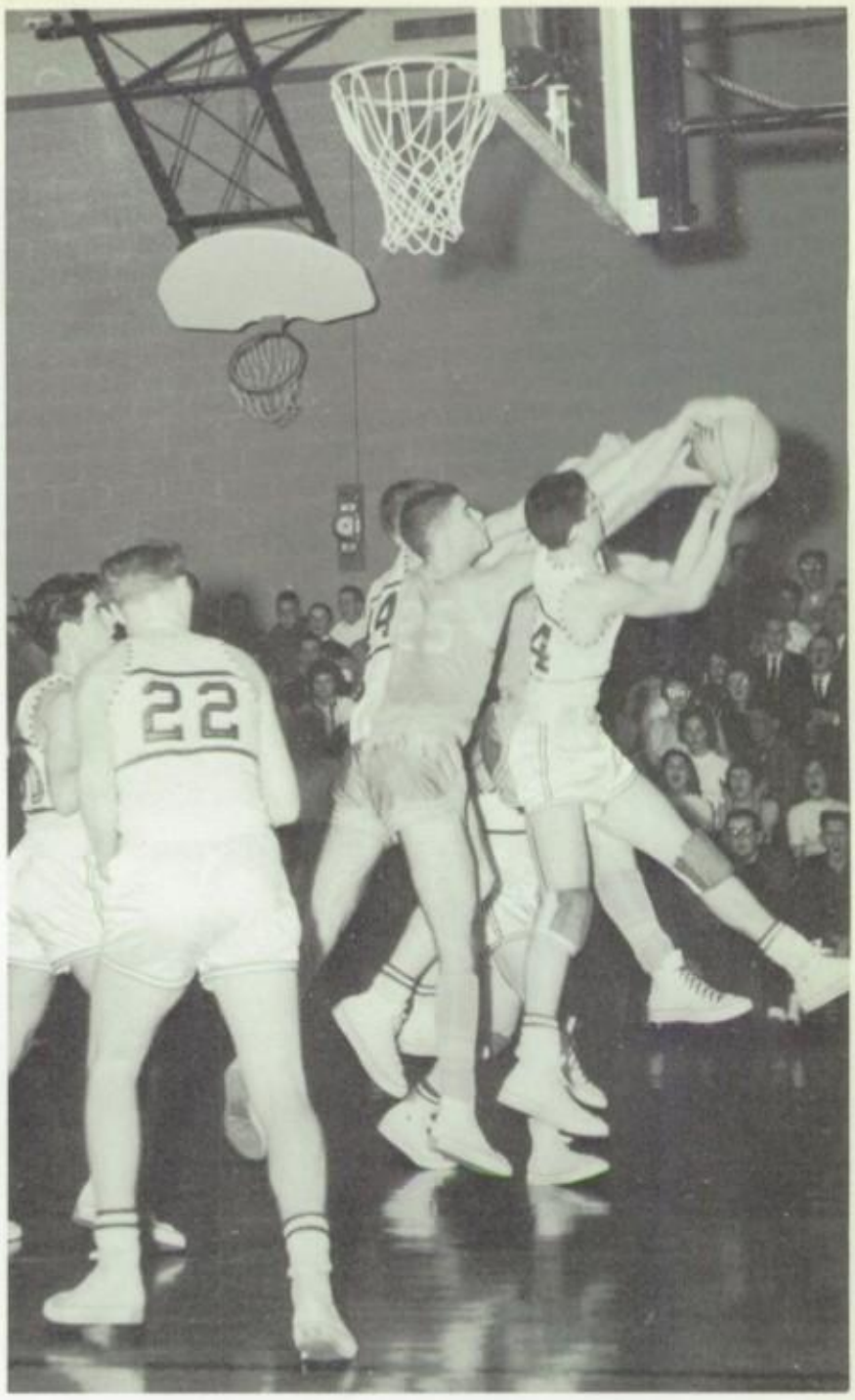
Carl waits for the jump ball!

The Coach gives a pep talk!



Action

Jim Fennick out jumps Shenango player.

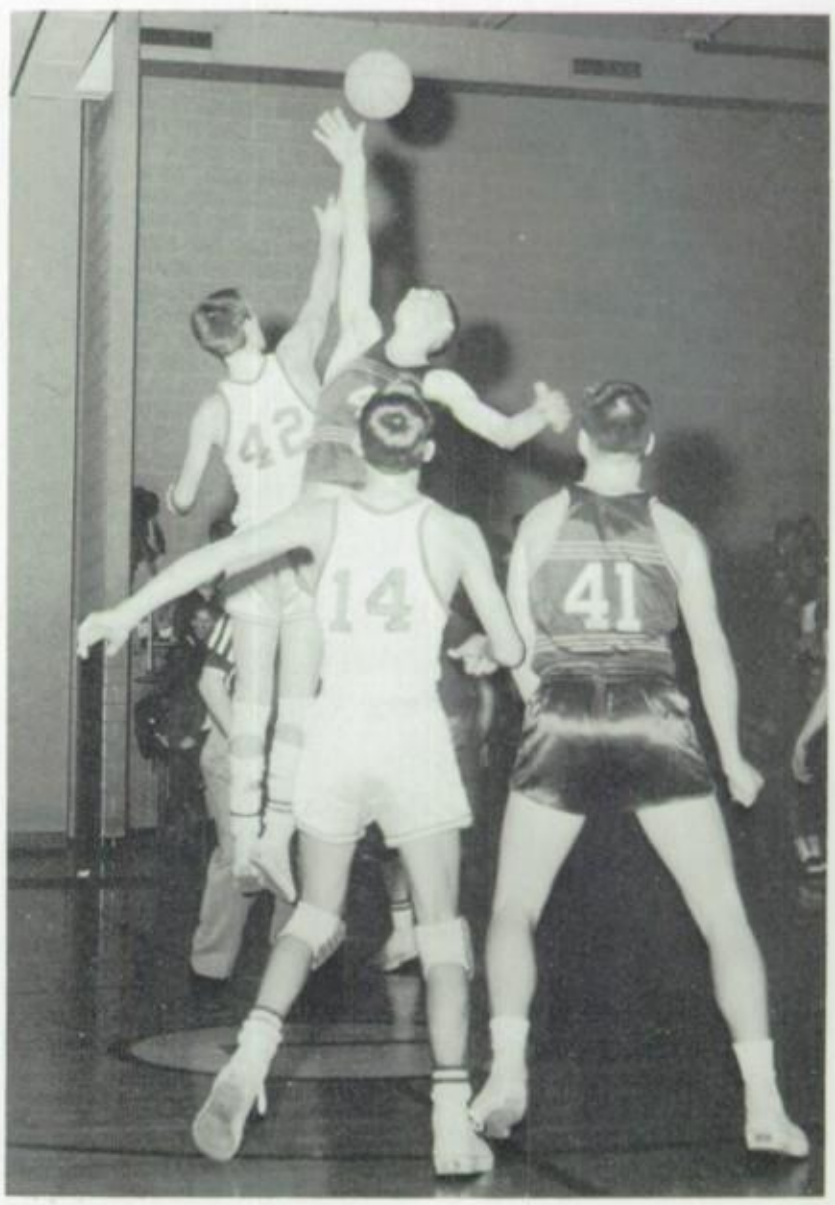


Laurel. . .hold that ball!

J.V.

Row 1-G. Tanner, D. Gibson, B. Glenn, C. Young, A. Cook, R. Shaffer. 2-Mr. Kost, D. Lee, F. Freeman, D. Book, D. Wellman, B. Polenick, Mr. Hassen.

Jump ball!



Get the ball Sparatans, Up and Away!

Officials

Left--Robert Shaffer, Manager, Robert Hammerschmidt, Statistics, Bob Thompson, Time Keeper, Howard Sheffler, Statistics, Ron McClymonds, Statistics, Norman Houk, Manager, David Robinson, Junior Score Keeper, Don Stoner, Head Manager.

Junior High Basketball

Row 1--Caldararo, Miles, Barnes, Crowe, Wertz, Allison, Dean, Glenn, Glenn, Marcus, 2--Mr. Giles, Coach, McChesney, Williams, Braatz, Harris, Taylor, Carlton, Dean, Berry, Stoner, Johnston, Mr. Wetzel, Asst. Coach. Row 3--McAnany, Boyd, Roth, Bodziach, Sharek, Edie, Wellman, Cameron, Wheele, McClymonds.

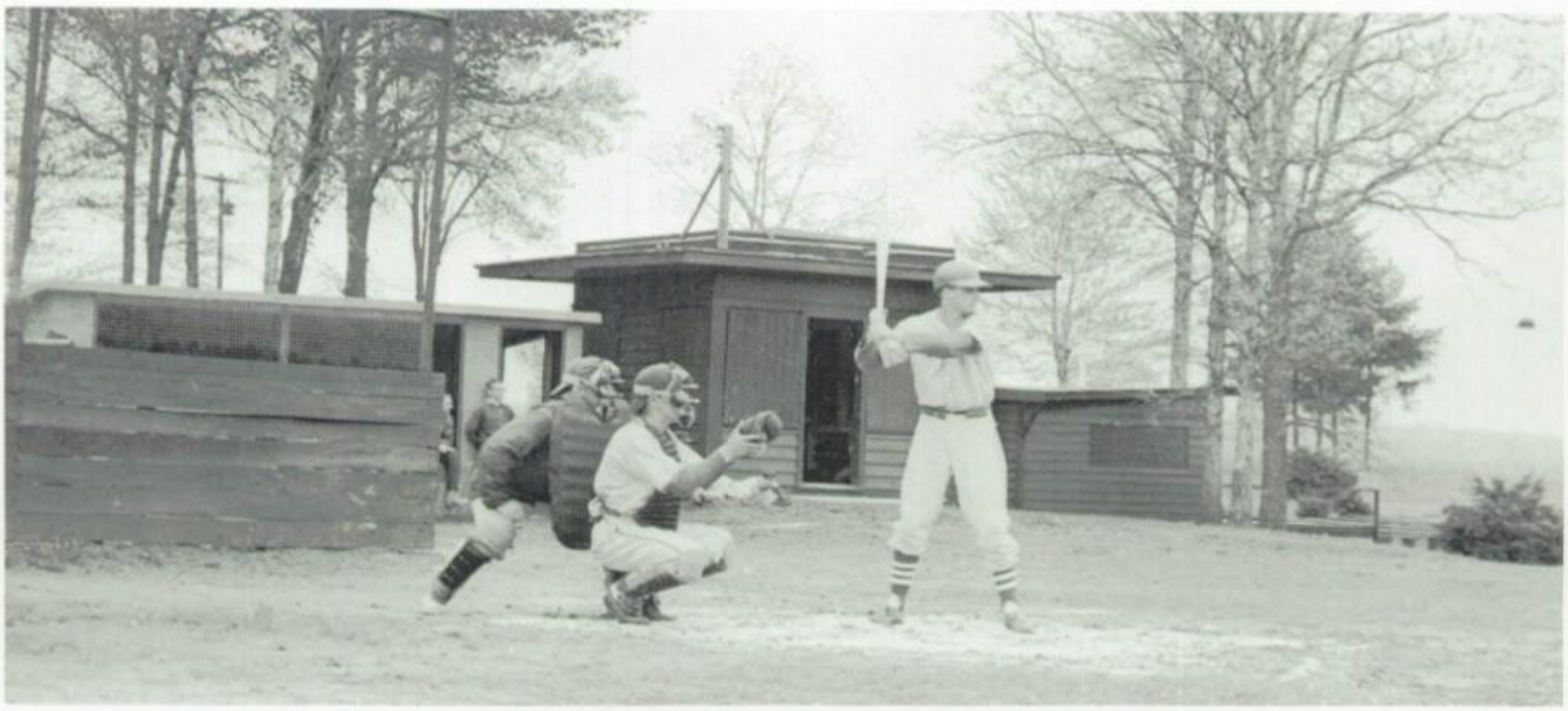
Baseball - 1961

Mr. Hassan gives the boys a few pointers.

Scores

	Laurel	-	Opponents
Riverside	14		5
Shenango	1		5
George Junior	4		7
Mohawk	1		5
Union	7		8
George Junior	10		0
Shenango	6		9
Mohawk	0		6
Sharpsville	6		7
Union	0		8
George Junior	7		0

Clyde Cameron waits for the perfect ball.



Laurel's up!

Front—Anthony Cook, Joe Harrison, Ted Smolkowicz, Bob Polenick, Chris Crawford; 2—Coach, Mr. Hassan, Carl Weigle, Dan Wellman, Alan Dudash, Clyde Cameron; 3—Ron McClymonds, Joe Roth, Larry Dean, Ron Crowe, John Gibson.

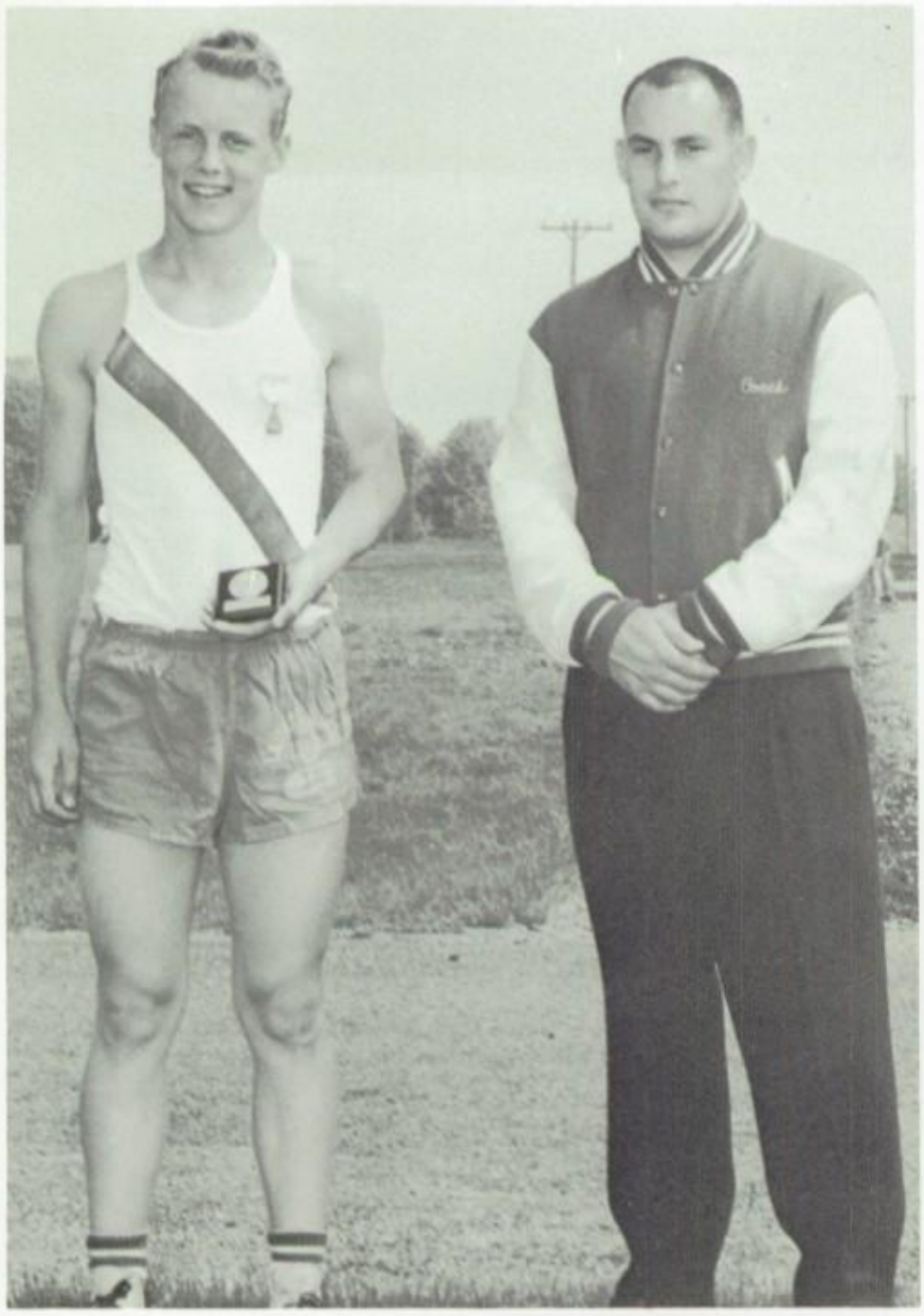
Track

Track is a new sport at Laurel, but already it has its group of supporters. We know it will continue to grow as more students become interested as well as participants. Track requires endurance and skill, and it presents a challenge to every boy in Laurel High.

Get on your mark!

Row 1 - P. Hunt, T. Houston, G. Tanner, D. Barnes, R. Miller, B. Glenn, R. Lukas, D. Lewis. Row 2- C. Booher, T. Tomkins, D. Robinson, H. Sheffler, D. Flack, T. Mitchell, D. Reeher. Row 3 - C. McConnell, D. Robinson, D. Gibson, L. Gajda, B. Bachman, J. Tonder, J. Book, T. Cox, D. Kerr, D. Tomkins, D. Stoner, Mr. Kost.

Track



Laurel placed fifth in WPIAL mile.

Scott throws the shot!

Dave demonstrates throwing of javelin.

Cheerleaders

Varsity

Left to Right -
Eileen Cox
Barbara Gibson
Waldene Berry
Shirley Sickafuse
Kathy Barker, Capt.
Betty Anderson

Mrs. Patricia Giles, Advisor

Junior Varsity

Row 1 - Sally Sickafuse, Jane Gibson. Row 2 - Judy Harris, Captain, Janet Thompson, Mary Ann Gorgacz.

Football Cheerleaders

Row 1 - Eileen Cox, Barbara Gibson, Kathy Barker, Betty Anderson. Row 2 - Janet Thompson, Shirley Sickafuse, Mary Ann Gorgacz, and Waldene Berry. Captain, Betty Anderson.

Junior High Cheerleaders

Left--Marta Wilson, Linda Kennedy, Susan Hunter, Gayle Hogue, Kathy Barnes, and Cheryl Dean.

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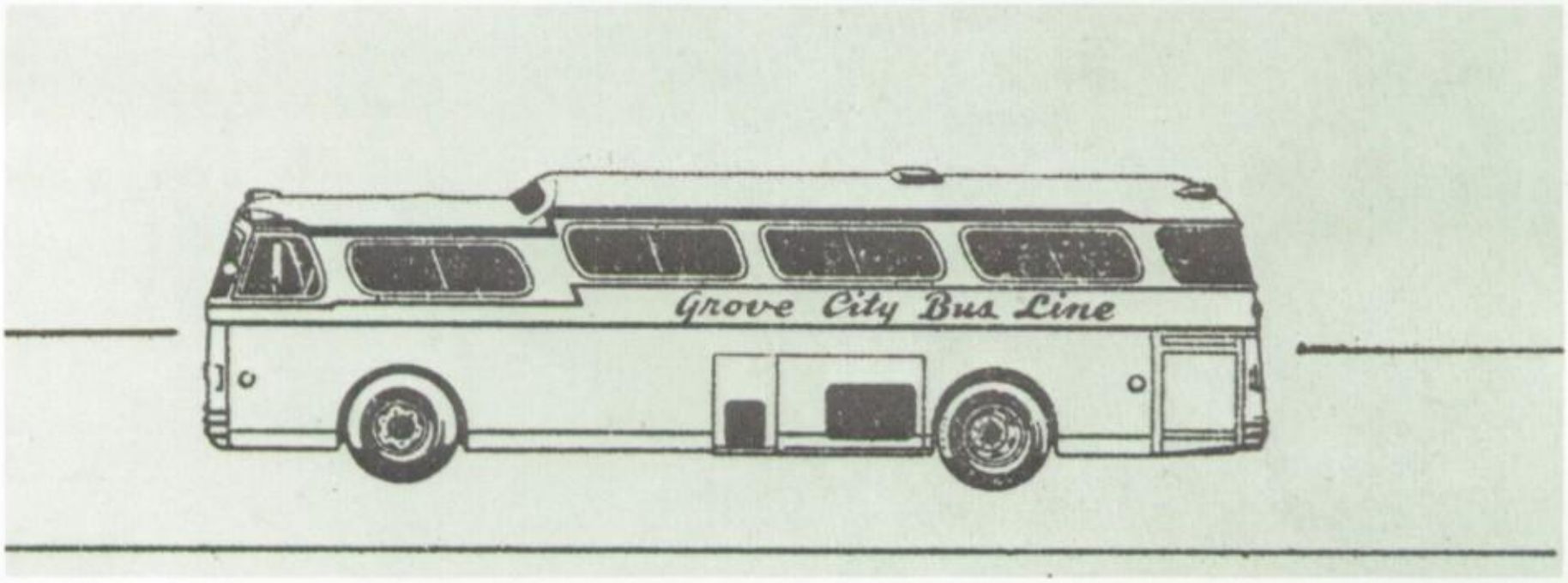

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